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TO
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"He who careth not whence he came, careth
but little whither he goeth."

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♦♦ Burton ♦♦

THE COAT OF ARMS OF THE BURTON FAMILY

SHIELD: Azure (blue) a fesse engrailed ermine between three talbots' heads erased or (gold).

CREST: On a mount vert (green), a fire beacon proper (natural color).

MOTTO: Lux vitae (Latin: "Light of Life".)

COLOR MEANINGS:

In heraldry blue is the color of loyalty, patriotism and truth. Gold shows authority, splendor, generosity and elevation of mind. Green is indicative of love, hope, joy and plenty. Ermine, which is often called the fur of nobility since it has traditionally been worn by nobles, is the true emblem of honor.

Proper or natural colors have no heraldic significance.

FIGURE MEANINGS:

The fesse, a band across the middle of the shield, is known as an honorable ordinary. This means that it is one of the honorable charges most ordinarily used in heraldry. Like all ordinaries, it was originally borne by those of knightly rank. The engrailed motif is said to denote wealth in the possession of lands and estates.

The talbot, an early hunting dog, is the symbol of courage, vigilancy and loyal fidelity. This animal is also sometimes used to denote those who were fond of the knightly sport of the chase, which in the days of heraldry was considered the most honorable of all undertakings next to war itself.

The mount is symbolic of antiquity and strength. The fire beacon and the motto are closely allied and would indicate that the family seeks for light and understanding.

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THE COMPONENT PARTS OF THE COAT OF ARMS

The most important part of the coat of arms is the Shield or Escutcheon on which the arms are displayed. The form of the shield varies with the taste and discretion of the artist. (as do the shape of the mantling and the shades of the colors used.), though the pointed Norman shield is most ordinarily used.

The Helmet is derived, like the shield, from the armor of the knight and is placed directly above the shield. It is a conventional part of armorial paintings, though not an essential one.

The Wreath or Torse, which was formed of two sheins of silk twisted together and worn as a means of fastening the crest to the helmet, appears at the lower part of the crest. It is given the principal metal and the principal color appearing on the shield.

Surmounting the helmet is the Crest, the principal accessory of the arms. Originally, crests were used for the purpose of identification, as were all armorial insignia. Since each knight was habited in a suit of armor, which hid his features from view, it was necessary to have some means of identification by which friend could be distinguished from foe in the heat of battle. Heraldry served this urgent need and grew apace after its introduction in the Middle Ages.

The decorative matter about the shield called the Mantling or Lambrequin, is not an essential part of the coat of arms, though it usually appears on armorial paintings. It represents the mantle attached to the helmet and hanging down from the shoulders of the knight, the function of the fashion of scalloping the edges of garments, artists developed the present wavy or scalloped the edges of garments, artist developed the present wavy form of the mantling. Its shape is left to the taste and discretion of the artist; it is given the principal metal and the principal color appearing on the shield, unless otherwise blazoned.

The Motto is not an essential part of the arms. Many particularly ancient arms did not have mottoes, since they were not introduced until after armorial bearings had become popular. Most mottoes were adopted at will by individuals or families, usually with genuine sincerity, though some are a pun on the family name or a favorite war cry.

The expression Coat of Arms is derived from the Medieval practice of having one's personal and hereditary arms embroidered on a decorative surcoat. Originally, these surcoats were worn by knight over their armor for protection from heat and dampness, as well as for identification, but as time passed the custom was adopted by both men and women for the proud display of their family arms.

EARLY RECORDS

In a list of the British American officers 1720-1763, there's a note to the effect that Rev. John Burton is to be made a chaplain at St. Helen's Episcopal Church Aug., 1742, which was built in 1724.

The John Burton who came to America, paying his own passage on his own accord in 1734, was perhaps a religious sympathizer, also Thomas Burton may have been his brother and moved on with the surging crowd from Savannah to Beaufort, S.C. for people were on the move, where they were during the Rev. War, or from 1734 to 1789, our first records.

From the Beaufort Co. records in regards to the founding of the little town of Burton, S.C. A few miles from the town of Beaufort, copy of a real estate transaction in 1741. Heps-worth sold the old house on S.W. of corner of New and Port Republic St. of Beaufort to Thomas Burton for 80# Sterling. Burton owned land 2 miles from Beaufort and gave the name to this section as Burton Hill.

We regret not being able to find authentic records on Joseph Burtons, ancestors. Been informed one does exist. After several attempts to get this data went ahead and compiled what I had collected:

One genealogist working on our Burton family seems to think Joseph Burton decends from Robert Burton-Sussex, Pa. (See Will of Robert Burton-Sussex County, Pa.)

WILL OF ROBERT BURTON SUSSEX COUNTY, PA.

(Men of Pa. Assembly from Sussex County 1704 Will dated Sept. 16, 1724, proved Oct. 16, 1725, Vol. XII, No. 3 Mar. 1935. Gen. Society of Pa.)

Wife Comfort, son Wm. grandsons Robert and Joseph, sons of my son Robert, deceased-five of grandchildren, children of my deceased son Robert Burton: Catherine, Elizabeth, Comfort, Samuel and Sarah.

To my grandson Thomas Bagwell-if he should die without heirs, land to fall to Joseph, son of Joseph Burton.

Negroes to be divided equally between Wm. Burton and my five daughters: Sarah, Elizabeth, Anne, Patience and Comfort.

To Elenor Littleberry, a mare, to grandson Wm. Burton, son of Joseph, grandson Joseph, son of Joseph Burton.

Gr grandchildren-children of my dau. Mary Waples, once wife of Wm. Waples.

Dau. Elizabeth, wife of Wm. Prettyman, and the four youngest: she had by her former husband Joseph Burton, Viz: Catherine, Caroline, Jacob, Joseph, dau. Comfort walker-and children she had by her first husband, Thomas Prettyman _____.

(cont. of Will of Robt. Burton)

Decendants of Robert Burton Sussex County, Pa., went to South Carolina. Probably the reason the genealogist believes Joseph Burton our first proved ancestor to be the grandson of Robert and the son of Joseph. With further research hope to find the answer.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

TO all to whom these presents shall come, greeting: know ye that for the consideration of one pound and 2nd sterling money, paid by Josiah Burton, into the treasury for the use of this state, we have granted, and by these presents do grant unto the said Josiah Burton, his heirs and assigns, a plantation or tract of land containing four hundred and thirty four acres, surveyed for him the 30th of April 1790, situated in the Dist. of Ninety six, on the N.E. side of Keowee River, bounded on all sides by vacant land.

Having such shapes form and marks as are represented by a plot hereunto annexed, together with all woods, trees, water, water-courses profits, commodities, appurtenances and hereditaments whatsoever thereunto belonging. To have and to hold the said tract of four hundred and thirty four acres of land. and all and singular after the premises hereby granted unto said Josiah Burton, his heirs and assigns forever, in free and common soccage. Given under the great seal of the state witness. His excellency, Charles Pinckney Esq. Gov. and Commander in Chief in and over the said state at Columbia, This fifth day of Sept. anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and ninety one, and in the sixteenth year of the independance of the United States of America.

Charles (L.M.S.) Pinckney

And hath thereunto a plot thereof annexed representing the same.

Certified by Peter Bumanpro,? surveyor Gen.
August 5, 1791.

LAND GRANTS

Before 1811 on the Burtens of South Carolina.

They had on record 6 platts of land granted to or surveyed to John Burton, 145 acres in 96th district on Parks Creek Waters of Savannah River Surveyed Nov. 19, 1789.

700 acres in Pendleton Co. on a branch of the Savannah River. Surveyed Oct. 27, 1790.

28 acres in Pendleton dist. on a branch of the Savannah River, surveyed Dec. 1810.

230 acres in Abbeville Co. on Turkey Creek of Salude River, Sept. 18, 1793.

600 acres Abbeville Co. on Chichsaw Creek, a branch of Hogskin Creek River, Sept. 1799.

(cont. of land grants)

300 acres in Abbeville Dist. on Joab's Creek and branches of Long Cain Creek waters of the Savannah River, sur. 12-18-1810. Josiah and John were sons of Joseph Burton.

This takes up to Joseph Burton, who made his will in 1809 in Abbeville Dist. S.C.; they always settled near some river to be sure of water at all times.

WILL OF JOSEPH BURTON 1809
ABBEVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA

In the name of God Amen.

I Joseph Burton of the state of South Carolina and District of Abbeville, being at present weak of body yet of perfect mind and memory praise be therefore given to Almighty God, Do make, constitute and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following: that is to say First and principally I recomend my soul into the hands of Almighty God, hoping through the merits of the death and passion of Jesus Christ My Savior to obtain forgiveness of all my sins and to inherit eternal life, and my body I recomend to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executors hereafter named and touching the disposition of all my real and personal estate as it has pleased God to bestow upon me in this world, I leave and bequeath as follows:

Item 1, I will that all my just debts and funeral charges be truly paid and discharged. Item second, I will that all my negroes and movable property be sold by my executors hereafter named, at twelve monthly credit and my land to be sold in hundred acre lots or smaller by the said executors on a credit of three years paying one third part yearly and the money arising from them to be divided as follows:

That is to say one seventh part of the whole to my son, John Burton, one seventh part to my son William Burton. Five shillings to my Daughter Mary; to her daughter Edy one seventh of the whole. Five shillings to my Daughter, Elizabeth and one seventh to all the issue of her body, one seventh to my Daughter, Sarah and her issue after her death. Five shillings to my Daughter Catharine and one seventh to be divided among all the issue of her body. One seventh to my Daughter Mahatobel and her children after her death. To My son, Josiah, Five Shillings, To my son, Douglas, Five Shillings. All to be paid by my executors to the said Legatees at the expiration of four years from the sale of said property. All bonds notes and accounts-unpaid due me by son-in-law out of date to stand good in their part or any such against my son.

I do except one eighth of an acre of land for a burying ground to be posted and planked around by my executors at the expense of my estate.

Lastly I do hereby constitute, ordain and appoint my sons, John and William Burton my joint executors or one executor of

(cont. Will Joseph Burton)

this my last will and testament, thereby revoking disannulling and making void all former wills and Testaments and Legacies, and executors heretofore granted, given or ordained, ordaining constituting, ratifying and confirming this and this only to be my last will and Testament.

In witness whereunto I have set my hand and seal this fifth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine, and the thirty fourth year of American Independence signed sealed published, pronounced and declared by the Testators as his last will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed: our names:

R.R. Montgomery

Joseph Burton (seal)

Ann Montgomery

Mary Dunlap

Saml. Geddes

Recorded in Will Book 1 page 395, box 10 pkg. 183, Proven March 14, 1811, Tall Livingston, OAD.

Josiah Burton b. ca. 1763 d. 1829 son of Joseph Burton, who d. 1811 Abbeville, Dist. S.C. Josiah Burton m. Mary Pratt, ca. birth 1765, dau. of Wm. Pratt and Emma (Haze) first wife of Wm. Pratt. (see Cador Gantt papers, for proof that Mary (Pratt) Burton was the dau. of Wm. Pratt, who died in 1797.

Their Children:

I. Robert Burton b. 1783 m. Sarah _____?

II. Sarah Burton b. 1786 m. Winston Hall.

III. William Burton b. 1790 m. Elizabeth _____?

IV. Caleb Burton b. 1792 m. Dicey Smith.

V. John Burton b. 1796 m. Elizabeth Prewett or Fruitt.

VI. Elizabeth Burton b. 1797 m. Samuel Black.

VII. Josiah Burton Jr. B. _____? m. Sally Osborn.

VIII. Peter S. Burton b. 1801 m. Harriet Martha McGee.

IX. Mary "Polly" Burton b. 1810 m. Joshua Ashley.

ABBEVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA

Josiah Burton estate adm. Sept. 5, 1829 Box 8, Pkg. 135. by Peter, Wm. and Caleb Burton, Bound to Moses Taggart: ordinary of Abbeville, S.C. dist. in the sum of \$3,000.00. Expenditures Nov. 1830:

Samuel Black recd, \$450.00 for his claim against the estate of Josiah and Molly Burton, both deceased.

Inventory made Oct. 2, 1829 by James Hill, *Wm. Young and Wm. Brazeal.

Sarah Pratt, daughter of Joseph Pratt married *Wm. Young.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT *** STATE OF S.C. *** ABBEVILLE DIST.
"Molly Burton" dec'd Aug. 6, 1829.

(cont. Will of Molly Burton)

I Molly Burton being in a low state of health, but of sound and disposing mind, and knowing that it is appointed for all flesh living once to die, do make this my last will and testament in the following manner (viz.)

1st, I resign my soul to the God who gave it and my body to the dust from whence it came.

2nd, I give and bequeath unto my son, Robert, a negro boy called Sonny.

3rd, I give and bequeath to my dau., Sarah, a negro girl called Mary.

4th, I give and bequeath to my son, Cable, a negro girl called Jane, also my part of the Hagskin tract of land, only the money that I owe him, is to be discounted out of the land,

5th, I give and bequeath to my son Wm., a negro boy called Derry.

6th, I give and bequeath unto my son, John, a negro woman called Beck.

7th, I give and bequeath unto my son Peter, a negro girl called Carline, also the Bed whereon I now live, 1 bolster, 2 pillows, one sheet and one counter pin.

8th, I desire that a negro girl called Renor and a small tract of land joining lands of John Young and Saml. C. Jones together with the remainder of my property, be sold at public auction.

My debts and other expenses that my accrue as also the walling in the graveyard with rock be paid out of the money arising from the said sale.

I also desire that the plantation I now live on be rented out for one year and that the rent money together with the remainder of the sale money after paying the above named expenses, be equally divided between my sons, Josiah and my daughter Elizabeth.

9th, I also desire that my dau., Mary /do/ receive the interest money arising from the sale of a negro boy called Isaac, from the sale of the said boy until she becomes of age.

10th, I ordain and appoint my son Peter executor of this my last will and testament. In witness I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty sixth day of Aug. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty nine, in the fifty fourth year of the independence of the U.S. of America. signed sealed and delivered in presence of Wm.

Pratt.

Saml. C. Jones

"Molly" Burton

James W. Wilson

Proven by the oath of James W. Wilson, Nov. 27, 1829 and Peter Burton qualified executor before Moses Taggart OAD.

(I have in my possession certified and photo.stat. copies of the wills of Joseph Burton and his dau.-in-law-Mary "Molly"

(cont. Will of Molly Burton)

Burton and the adm. of the estate of Josiah Burton his son.)

(See Estate settlement of Wm. Pratt, father of Mary "Molly" (Pratt) Burton, wife of Josiah Burton of Abbeville, S.C.)

ROBERT BURTON

Son of Josiah Burton and Mary "Molly" Pratt was b. 1783 in Abbeville Dist. S.C. m. Sarah _____ b. 1785 in Va. They came to Walker County in 1833, entered gov't land on the Warrior River sec. 19, township 14, range 5, Nov. 16, 1833.

Robert Jr. and John came with their parents perhaps other children.

Robert Burton, Sr. and wife Sarah were living in 1850 both buried in Burton family plot on the homelace.

*John Burton b. 1800 in S.C., d. Aug. 12, 1883 on Marker, wife Jane _____ b. Sept. 8, 1800 d. March 4, 1904.

In 1850 Census *John Burton b. 1810 which perhaps is nearer to being correct, both buried in Dutton Cemetery West of Jasper, Alabama. (Sorry been unable to trace this family would seem one generation missing.)

Jefferson Burton b. 1846, though Jefferson would be a son. Jefferson Burton m. Etta _____, children: Walter, George, Frank, and Jefferson Burton Jr., probably others.

Jack Burton b. 1876-1952 are they twins?

J. Samuel Burton b. May 5, 1876 d. April 5, 1934 m. Mary Russell, dau. of James Russell, their children:

Rev. Elbert Burton m. Myrtle Appling. Children:

Dr. Wm. Burton m. Belle Adams living at Tallassee, Ala.

Dewey Burton m. Jean Morrow, they have a son.

Edward Burton living in Nashville, Tenn., attending college.

(Regret being unable to prove who was the father of either Jack D. or J. Samuel Burton, several Burtons are buried in Dutton Cemetery).

ROBERT BURTON, JR. son of Robert and Sarah _____ was b. Jan. 9, 1820 in S.C. d. Feb. 28, 1871, came with his parents in 1833 to Walker County m. Melissa Releford, b. July 11, 1828 d. on the 11, of May 1895, both buried in the family plot on their homelace, their children:

James E., Jasper L., Timothy, Houston, Sarah, Lena and Martha.

Sarah M. Burton m. Hudson Hall Buzbee on Nov. 20, 1832 (by LeRoy Williams, M.G. at the residence of Melissa Burton.)

Their children:

1. Dr. Everett Buzbee m. _____, was postmaster at Jasper, now living in E. Ala.

Re.-Robert Burton-P. 2. He m. Sarah "Sally" Hall b. 1785, in Va. dau. of John Hall b. 1750 d. 1808 and Ursula (Grigg) Hall b. 1753-d. 1812-both born in Halifax Co., Va.

Their son John was age 40 years 1850 census Walker Co., Ala.

Wife Jane 32-b. in Ala.

Ch: Dienna age 16 (m. Samuel Ellison Cooner), Wm. A. age 12, Elizabeth age 8, Nancy J. age 3 and John T. Burton 1 year.

The following records sent by B. S. Mitchell, Honea Path, S.C. (He has done extensive research on the family).

Re.-Sarah Burton -P. 11-b. 1786-d. Aug. 30, 1836, m. Winston Hall, son of Ursula (Grigg) and John Hall. Their ch: John, Elizabeth, Sarah Ann, Ursula, Joseph B.(sie) and Caleb.

The heirs of John Hall sold a tract on Seneca River before Anderson County was cut off, so this record is at Anderson and Valhalla, since the land was in Oconee County. Someone had Sally's husband as Burton Robertson. But the text showed that he was correctly Robert Burton, and the clerks had transposed the name in the signatures.

So this means that John Hall's son and daughter m. Josiah Burtons son and daughter.

Winston Hall and Sarah separated. He went to Ala. and m. Elizabeth Marcus Oct. 12, 1826, (nearly ten years before Sarah died). (Bibb Co.) Deed Book A, p. 75, Deed of gift to son, Josiah B. 15 Apr. 1829. Vol. 166 Bibb Co. p. 42, Will, to wife and two sons, Josiah B. Hall, and John Hall, 26 Apr. 1827.

It may have been that all Sarah Hall's children went to Alabama except John. The heirs of John do not know anything about the other children. We know that Ursula, b. 1805, m. Ephraim McClain, who was the guardian of Caleb B. Low and Sarah Ann Low. John was b. 1814 and Caleb 1816. So we cannot see how Sarah was a Hall, a Low, and died as a Hall.

Sarah Burton Hall named her son, John, as executor. Her children were named thus-John, Elizabeth, Sarah Ann, Ursula, Joseph B. (sie) and Caleb. John was in Florida when Sarah died, so her est. was being administered when John returned and was qualified.

The 1850 census of Bibb County, Alabama, shows that Ephraim and Ursula McClain were 45 years of age, and that four of their five children were born in South Carolina. The oldest, Amanda, was 20 and married Wm. Davidson aged 28. Mary E., the last one born in S.C.

was 12. Ephraim authorized Judge J.W. Suttle to issue license to W. D. Nixon and Mary E. M. McClain in August 1855. They were married by John W. Keedle, J. P. 18 Aug. 1855. The youngest daughter was born ca. 1841, so they went to Alabama between 1838 and 1841.

On Jan. 14, 1837, Ephraim McClain was made guardian of Caleb B. and Sarah Ann Low, minors over 14 years, children of Sally Hall dec'd. On May 19, 1847, Caleb B. Low of Wilcox Co., Alabama, appointed Geo. Howard of Anderson Co., S.C. attorney to collect all money due him from the estate of Sarah Hall, dec'd of S.C. . Caleb B. Low was of age Jan. 25, 1837. (these dates are from the abstracts, so I think some are wrong. He wouldn't have a gdn. appointed 11 days before becoming of age, and since his gdn. did not leave here until after 1838, Caleb would have been able to attend to his own business, neither would he have waited until 1847 to try to collect the balance of his legacy.) In his letter to Howard, he called Sarah Hall mother, and John Hall father, and sent regards to he and Sarah Ann.

How did these two children get to be Lows? were they let out for adoption, or was Sarah married again, and were some of the other children Lows who might have been of age. The children were not named in the will in the order of their ages for John was b. in 1814. Would you think that it could be possible that Caleb B. Lowe was a grandson of Sarah Burton Hall. That Sarah Ann m. at 15 i.e. 1822; and that Caleb B. Lowe was b. 1823 (over 14 in 1837) and that Sarah Burton Hall was his grandmother instead of mother. Of course this will not suit all the conditions, but then there is no solution that I can think of that does.

A letter from a friend in Arizona said that information from the Dovers of Alabama indicated that John Dover m. Elizabeth Hall, b. ca. 1809 had- Ursual, Sarah, Ananda and Caleb Dover. Also Sarah Ann Hall, b. ca. 1807, m. a Lowe, only child mentioned was Howell C. Lowe, who said his father d. in 1870 in Alabama. Caleb Hall b. ca. 1811, no trace, and Josiah B. Hall, b. ca. 1816.

I had a letter from a grandson of Ephraim McClain, rather the letter was from his wife. She learned of me from John W. Hall and wife who went to Mississippi to the Murff reunion in the summer. I sent all that I had of his forebears, and they dug up some information for me.

2. Samuel S. Buzbee D.D.S. m. Miss _____ Lowrey, Dr. and Mrs. Buzbee lived in Jasper several years where he practiced his profession; they had children, both deceased.
3. Herbert Buzbee, Baptist minister.
4. Buel Buzbee and
5. Quinton Buzbee, attorneys living in Wash. D. C.

JAMES E. BURTON

Son of Robert Burton, Jr. and Melissa (Releford) b. April 17, 1855, d. Dec. 29, 1939

From Mt. Eagle Nov. 21, 1900:

"James E. Burton, County Commissioner from the fourth dist. was b. 15 miles east of Jasper, near the fork of the river, he lived there until 1883, when he moved near Cordova, where he lived for four years. He then moved to Carbon Hill where he lived for four years. He then moved back to his father's old homestead to which his father settled on after coming from S.C. about 1830 and is today the most public spirited man and one of the best farmers in Walker County.

Mr. Burton is one of the county's old time teachers, having taught several schools in the county. He attended school at Jasper, once taught Prof. Ira Robins and another by the late Col. J.H. McGuire and gave his children a college education."

Mr. Burton was m. twice, 1st to Miss _____ Elmore. their child: Carrie Estelle b. Dec. 27, 1891, d. May 20, 1906, single.

James E. Burton m. 2nd Lieu Musgrove b. Feb. 22, 1862 d. Aug. 6, 1926. She was the dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Musgrove. Children:

Pearl Burton b. Jan. 24, 1893 dsp. Jan. 26, 1935.

Breck Musgrove Burton lives in Atlanta, Ga.

Cora Burton m. James Fields son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. "Billy" Fields, member of one of the prominent pioneer families of East Walker, dau. Jimmie Nelle Fields, graduate of the University, teaching in Birmingham. Mr. and Mrs. Fields live in her parents old spacious home at Sipsey, Ala.

Willie Burton m. Geo. Edwin Aiken of Norwalk, Conn. have two sons: Geo. Edwin, Jr. and James R. Aiken. Mr. and Mrs. Aiken taught school, Mr. Aiken was principal of the Carbon Hill High School, when he passed away a few years ago.

JASPER L. BURTON

Son of Robert Burton Jr. and wife Melissa Releford, m. Susan L. Sanders March 27, 1879 at residence of M.D.L. Sanders by LeRoy Williams, M.G. Children

Paralee Burton m. _____ Aaron.

Flora Burton m. Walter Browning.

Martha Burton m. Wm. "Bill" James.

Frances Burton m. Arnold Argo, son of Mr. and Mrs Monroe Argo. He was tax collector of Walker Co., took an active part in political affairs of the county.

(cont. James L. Burton)

Florence Burton m. John Fields son of Mr. and Mrs. "Billy" Fields. Mr. and Mrs. Fields are outstanding citizens in their community where they grew up and lived all their life, no children.

"DOCK" BURTON

Son of Robert Burton Jr. and wife Melissa Releford. m. _____?
Children: Alma, Travis, Vertie, Sarah, Clara, Martha.

Alma Burton m. George Roberts.

Travis Burton m. Gadsie Morgan.

Vertie Burton m. Perry Baker.

Sarah Burton dsp.

Clara Burton m. _____ Cole.

Martha Burton m. Wm. Stone.

"Dock" Burton above perhaps is Houston, so far have not found his correct first name.

MARTHA BURTON

Daughter of Robert Burton, Jr., and wife Melissa Releford m. Wm. Davis resided in Jasper several years. Mr. Davis was tax collector of Walker Co., before removing to San Benito, Texas. He and Mrs. Davis died there. Children: Ella, Ethel, Ersula, Louie, Myra, Pius, and Homer Davis.

Ella Davis was m. to Robert Andrew Argo, June 24, 1905 by J. V. Dickenson Pastor of the Baptist church, Jasper, Ala., a prominent insurance and business man. Mr. and Mrs. Argo were active members of the First Baptist Church in Jasper, Mrs. Argo was prominent in club work, a charter member of the Culture Club; Mr. and Mrs. Argo passed away a few years ago. They had two children:

Katherine Argo m. Mr. Balwin Semb. ch: Robert E. and Geo. Semb. They reside up East.

Robert Andrew Argo, Jr. m. Miss Jeanette McPhail. Ch: Robt. Andrew Argo III and Katherine Jeanette Argo. Mr. Argo owns a furniture business like his parents, takes an active part in the church and civic affairs.

Ethel Davis m. Joseph Ballenger of Jasper, removing soon after to Texas.

Ersula Davis m. _____ Mr. Vandyke.

Myra Davis m. Cllic Ballenger.

Pius Davis m. Miss Mary Hobby.

Louie Davis was m. to Albert Stratford, had three children:

Dorothy, Car. and Alberta Stratford, m. Herbert Coleman Dickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Dickson. Mr. Dickson is one of Jasper's most popular Bankers, Alberta and Herbert have

(cont. Martha Burton)

three lovely children: Dorothy Jean, Herbert Coleman Jr. and David Madison Dickson. They reside at 3902 Princeton Road, Montgomery, Alabama.

SARAH BURTON

B. 1786 d. Aug. 30, 1836 m. *Winston Hall. Sarah the second child born to Josiah and Mary (Pratt) Burton, rests in the Little River Church Cemetery, Abbeville County, South Carolina.

JOHN HALL, 1750-1808 m. Ursula Griggs, 1753-1812
Children:

*Winston Hall	m. Sarah Burton b. 1786 d. 1836.
Sally Hall	m. _____ Burton.
Absalom Hall.....1824	m. Sarah Tucker b. 1795-1883 (Bartley's)
John Hall 1780-1852	m. Sarah Tucker b. 1786-1863 (Harbert's)
Ursula Hall 1787-1865	m. John Davis b. 1779-1836
David Hall 1789-1860	m. Hannah (Hall?) 1795*
Ezekiel Hall 1792-1892	m. Frances Tucker 1805-1881 (Bartley's)
Lucy Hall 1794-1836	m. Dejarnett Tucker 1794-1887 (Harbert's)

A word of explanation about the above people. Elias DeJarnette, Jr. m. Sarah Hall, sister of Nathaniel, John and Fenton Hall. The DeJarnettes had among others, Hannah, m. Bartley Tucker, Frances m. Harbert Tucker (my gr. gr. grandfather), Nancy m. Edward Davis. Ed had the above John, Fenton had David (I think) Bartley Tucker's wife died, so did Ed. Davis. Then Bartley m. his wife's sister. Absalom Hall and Lucy Hall. Tucker died DeJarnette Tucker then m. Absalom Hall's widow. Sarah Tucker Hall, his double first cousin. It took me two years to unravel that riddle. Dejarnette Tucker was a brother of my gr. grandmother, Nancy Tucker Shaw.

Now there is a descendant of Winston Hall living on some of the very land these Tuckers and Halls owned. She has been told that Winston was her gr. grandfather by more than one person, but she knows nothing, and says she never heard of the children of Sarah Burton Hall, although she says that her grandfather m. Sarah Burton, and that she d. when her first child was b., but she is confused for her own father was b. before this child of Sarah's, which was called Mollie (Mary Jane) who m. Wyatt Mattison who, after Mollie died in childbirth, m. my grandmother's sister.
(Record b. B.S. Mitchell)

WILLIAM BURTON

Son of Josiah and Mary (Pratt) Burton b. cal. 1790 d. 1857 m. Elizabeth _____ b. in Virginia ca. 1795. John D. Burton was with his parents in 1850 and other heirs:
Irene Burton m. 1st Andrew Leopard, 2. Wm. Jones or Jeans.
Fayette Burton m. Benj. Franklin Barnes.
Mahala Burton m. Richard Taylor.

(cont. William Burton)

Wm. Burton m. Nancy Ann Ashley.

Cader Burton

John Douglas Burton

Names from Estate Adm. of Wm. Burton by Thomas McCann, Elizabeth, widow of Wm. Burton had m. again to Andrew Jackson Barnes by the time the estate of her 1st husband was settled.

CALEB BURTON

Son of Josiah Burton and wife Mary (Pratt) Burton. He was b. ca. 1792 d. April 14, 1860 m. Dicey Smith, b. 1798 d. May 23, 1858 both buried in First Creek Cemetery, Abbeville Co., South Carolina, Caleb was rather wealthy for his day; he and his wife are the only two in that cemetery having the box-type monuments.

Caleb and Dicey were the parents of 14 children, reared 12:

1. Amy Burton b. 1816 m. Wm. Crowther.
2. *Elizabeth Burton b. 1820 m. James Milton Hopkins (see later)
3. Lucinda Burton b. 1824 m. Wm. Franklin Clinkscales.
4. Joseph Fields Burton b. 1824 m. 1st Isabella Jane Armstrong, 2nd to Missouri Loner.
5. Sarah Burton b. 1828 m. Bartley T. Gray.
6. Robert Burton b. 1828 m. Rosannah Catherine Gassaway.
7. Dicey Burton b. 1830 m. Wm. P. McGee.
8. Mary Burton b. 1830 m. Robert Alexander Tucker.
9. Peter S. Burton b. 1836 m. Harriet Martha McGee (Siblings).
10. Wm. Lawrence Burton b. 1836 m. Amanda C. Armstrong.
11. John A. Burton b. 1838 single.
12. N. Luvinda Burton b. 1842 single.

MARY JANE HOPKINS b. Nov. 28, 1838 d. Nov. 12, 1923 dau. of James Milton Hopkins and wife Elizabeth (Burton), who was the dau. of Caleb and Dicey (Smith) Burton. m. Samuel Shaw b. Sept. 3, 1830 d. Sept. 29, 1904. Their Children:

1. *Ida Elizabeth Shaw b. June 13, 1860 d. April 16, 1944. (see later)
2. Orpha Lucinda Shaw b. July 4, 1862 d. ____ 1957. m. John Andrew Alewine, Nov. 6, 1879. He was b. Nov. 23, 1857 d. March 15, 1929.
3. Alice Eugenia Shaw b. March 19, 1864 d. Jan. 3, 1944 m. Reuben S. Haynie October 3, 1883.
4. Mary Rosella Shaw b. Feb. 21, 1866 d. July 31, 1886 m. Levi Newton Clinkscales on Nov. 17, 1885. b. Sept. 30, 1863 d. May 29, 1941.
5. Margaret Leona Shaw b. July 4, 1868 d. Jan 9, 1957 m. John Lawrence Tate on Dec. 21, 1892; he was b. Sept 12, 1857 and d. Oct. 31, 1921.
6. James Wm. Shaw b. Sept. 7, 1870, living m. Delia Shirley Feb. 8, 1893.
7. Luther Murray Shaw b. Aug. 23, 1873, d. Dec. 8, 1955, m. Oct. 14, 1896 to _____?

8. Eudora Shaw b. Nov. 7, 1875 d. April 29, 1942 m. Wm. W. Kay July 21, 1907; he was b. Nov. 11, 1871 d. April 24, 1926.

9. Samuella Shaw b. July 18, 1836 (living) m. Harry Gilliam Nov. 16, 1905; he died Jan. 4, 1944.

*Ida Elizabeth Shaw b. June 13, 1860 and d. April 16, 1944 was m. to William Lafayette Mitchell Dec. 10, 1885. He was b. Feb. 15, 1855 and died Feb. 7, 1935. They had three children: A son died at the age of three years.

Marie and *Boyce Shaw Mitchell of Honea Path, S.C. are both single.

Miss Mitchell teaches history in the high school.

Mr. Mitchell a certified accountant always very busy, though never too busy to answer the many many questions. He has assisted in proving several of the Burton and Pratt descendants of whom we had no record.

Many thanks to Mr. Mitchell (my distant cousin).

* Boyce Spurgeon Mitchell
ELIZABETH BURTON

Dau. of Josiah and wife Mary "Molly" (Pratt) Burton who was the dau. of Wm. and Emma (Haze) Pratt of abbeville, S.C. (see Wm. Pratt). Elizabeth was b. 1797 in abbeville according to the 1850 census of Walker Co., Ala. was m. to Samuel Black in Abbeville; he was b. in S.C. 1799, on his grave stone b. Oct. 28, 1801, d. Oct. 11, 1873. Elizabeth and Samuel came to Walker County in 1833 about the time her brothers Robert and John Burton came.

Samuel Black entered land on Warrior River near where the bridge spans the river on Highway 78 east. They are buried on the homelace on the land they entered, having no children, they left all their property fee simple to their freed slaves who remained loyal until Samuel and Elizabeth passed on. Descendants of these same slaves still live on the land. There is no inscription of Elizabeth's marker, eroded; she out-lived her husband and her loyal servants cared for her as though she were an infant, might add that the Black Negroes have been law abiding down through the years.

* PETER S. BURTON

B. ~~1801~~ d. ___ was a son of Josiah Burton and Wife Mary (Pratt) Burton, dau. of Wm. Pratt, who died in 1797 Abbeville, S.C. and 1st wife Emma (Haze).

Peter S. Burton m. Harriet Martha McGee dau. of John McGee and wife Harriet Cagey, dau of John Mattison and wife Grace (Latimar) Mattison, Children b. to Peter and Harriet:

1. John Preston Burton m. ___ Hill, issue four.
2. Martha Burton
3. Dora Burton
4. Ophelia Burton
5. Annie Burton m. David King.

* Peter S. Burton, above son of Josiah Burton and wife Wiley "Smith"
Peter S. Burton son of Josiah and Mary "Molly" (Pratt) Burton
m. Wiley. - his second wife - Hill - no other record

6. Jesse Burton
7. Cornelia Burton m. _____ Graham
8. Alvin Burton
9. Ella Burton m. _____ Morgan.
10. Wm. Burton
11. Luther Burton
12. James Burton

This list came from Little Rock, Ark. and does not include Emma Josephine, who d. on March 13, 1856 age three months and ten days, buried in the same churchyard where Caleb and Dicey Smith Burton, Robert A., Johua, N. Luvendia Burton, and Mary (Burton) Tucker rest, in Abbeville, S.C.

It would seem that Peter S. Burton removed with his family to Arkansas about 1870. No further record on the family.

JOSIAH BURTON

Son of Josiah and Mary (Pratt) Burton m. Sally Osborne, dau., of John Osborne. Josiah Burton III was a minor under 14 years old in 1842 and was entitled to a small estate of Sally Osborne, daughter of John Osborne who married Josiah Burton, Jr. Polly and James Burton, their gaurdian, Benjamin Johnson.

MARY "POLLY" BURTON

Youngest child of Josiah Burton and wife Mary (Pratt) was b. Sept. 29, 1810 d. Oct. 10, 1886 (on Marker Polly wife of Joshua Ashley), buried in *The Little River Baptist Church Cemetary in Abbeville Co., S.C. Joshua Ashley d. 1899 buried in a Presbyterian Church Cemetery. Their children:

Jeems (James) Robinson Ashley m. Jane Price.
 Stephen Ashley m. Lucy Tucker, dau of J.P. Tucker.
 John W. Ashley m. Amanda Pruitt dau. of E.D. Pruitt.
 Joseph Ashley m. _____?
 *Sarah Catherine Ashley m. Johnson Hall (see later).
 Malinda Ashley m. _____Anderson.
 Eugenia Ashley, single.
 Eliza Ann Ashley m. Jesse Hall.
 Eucinda? Ashley m. Thomas Simpson.

This list was given me by Mr. Ferguson, Joshua d. in 1899. Here are the legatees of Joshua Ashley, will dated 11 Aug. 1899, he died on or about 23 Oct. 1899 will prov. 30 Oct. 1899.

*Sarah C. Hall wife of Johnson Hall
 Martha E. Dalton wife of Elijah Dalton
 Joshua S. Ashley
 Eliza Ann Hall wife of Jesse M. (Martin) Hall
 Mary Lou Simpson wife of Thomas J. Simpson
 Eugenia Ashley
 John W. Ashley
 James R. Ashley, Exer.

John H. Ashley, son of a predeceased son also Alonzo Anderson, Willie Anderson, James Anderson and Geo. Anderson, chn. of a predec. dau.

Ten shares: The recapitulation gives further information as to the initials of all - J.R., J.S., J.W., J.H., (for G.S.) Ashley, Eliza A. Hall, M.E. Dalton, Sarah C. Hall, M.L. Simpson, Eugenia Ashley, M.J. Anderson, decd., her heirs - J.J., Geo. S., L.A., and Wm. (W.L.?) Anderson.

*Catherine and Johnson Hall were the grandparents of Mr. Goss Burton, residing at Iva, South Carolina.

*Little River Church is located about 6 miles from Honea Path, S.C.

JOHN BURTON

Born 1796 in S.C. Abbeville Dist. d. in Walker County Alabama in 1863. He was the son of Josiah and Mary "Molly" (Pratt) Burton m. to Elizabeth Pruitt b. 1796 in S.C. (according to the 1850 census of Walker County). d. Feb. 5, 1886 both buried in the family plot on their homeplace where they settled late in 1833. They had the following children:

Cader Burton b. in S.C.

Giles Burton b. in S.C.

Elizabeth Burton b. in S.C.

John Burton, Jr. b. in S.C.

Peter S. Burton b. in S.C.

Sarah Burton b. in Ala.

Caleb Burton b. in Ala.

Dacey Burton b. in Ala.

(Deen told John and Elizabeth Burton had another dau., Frances, who m. Jack King, so far find no record to verify this fact.)

John Burton first entered land on Jan. 17, 1834 sec. 9, s.e. $\frac{1}{4}$ of N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ township 14, range 8. John Burton entered government land in Walker County, Ala. on Feb. 5, 1834, our first record concerning him in Ala.

John Burton, when he died, had much mineral land which later became the largest coal field in the county. It is regrettable his descendants received very little for all this mineral. Part of the land still owned by his great grandchildren.

The next land entry was on Feb. 17, 1834, one Feb. 8, 1836 and as late as Feb. 27, 1856. This land was in Sec. 9, township 14, range 8. John Burton, Sr. and wife Elizabeth executed a deed Oct. 16, 1839 to McMinter Boshell, conveying S.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ of sec. 9, township 9, 14, range 8, recorded in deed book C. (32) p. 210-11. John Burton, Sr. and Elizabeth Burton executed deed on Aug. 7, 1860 to John Burton, Jr. conveying S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 14, township 14, range 8, recorded in deed book 1, p. 119. Deed executed by W.R. King Feb. 28, 1874 to Elizabeth Knight, recorded in deed book 1, p. 348. Elizabeth referred to above was a dau. of John and Elizabeth (Pruitt) Burton.

John and Elizabeth Burton lived and died on part of the land. They brought fruit and walnut plants from their home in Abbeville, S.C. to their new home in Walker County near Jasper; from these plants several large trees still exist, of course they are from seeds of the first plants, and the old grindstone he brought along is still there.

In this colony that came to Alabama from South Carolina was: Cader Burton oldest child, b. Dec. 20, 1816 in Abbeville Dist., S.C. (on his tombstone b. Dec. 20, 1812, which I think is an error) d. Sept. 23, 1897 b. in Macedonia Church Cemetery on Holly Grove Road, Walker County. m. 1st Jane Nichols (??) in Miss. had two daughters:

1. Caroline Burton b. 1838 m. James Smith; she was buried in the Smith Cemetery near Cedrom, Alabama.

2. Nancy Elizabeth Burton b. 1840 d. _____ m. Franklin Newton Alvis, b. 1845 in Ala. son of Abner Alvis b. 1815 in Tenn. wife Elizabeth b. 1820 in Ala. Children of Franklin Newton and Nancy Elizabeth (Burton):

Thomas and Dona Alvis dsp.

Mary Jane Alvis m. 1st Wm. Blackston 2nd Jim Smith.

David H. Alvis m. Sarah E. NeSmith on 5-13-1890, by Thaddeas Holcomb, J.P.

Wm. "Bill" Alvis m. Sudra Odom.

Cader Alvis m. _____ Treadway.

Tima Alvis m. Wm. Elder.

John D. "Dud" Alvis m. Roxie Faught now dec'd. They had a son living near Birmingham, Ala.

James Alvis _____ no record.

CADER BURTON m. 2nd Lavinia Johnson b. in S.C. 1825 (in 1850 census names the following children):

Nancy Burton age 16 b. in Ala.

Jane age 12 b. in Ala.

Rebecca age 10 b. in Ala.

Polly (Mary) age 8 b. in Ala.

Martha (Ann) age 6 b. in Ala.

Samuel ? age 4 b. in Ala.

Dacey age 3 b. in Ala.

Peter age 2 b. in Ala.

*Note difference in the ages of the children 1850-1860 census though this is the same family-this often happens in census records.

In the 1850 census Jane age 7 years b. in Tenn. We are told was Lavinia (Johnson) Burton's dau. by her first marriage this I can not verify. Jane m. _____ Winters, no other record. Rebecca Burton b. 1849 m. Sgt. Richard F. Baker after the death of Dacey Burton, They had children, names not known.

MARY (POLLY) BURTON b. 1852 d. 1929 (on her tombstone b. 1858-an error) married to Andrew Tidwell, no children. She had a son Wm. by first marriage.

SAMUEL BURTON b. 1856 m. Fama Lollar b. 1845-dau. of Wm. and Mary (Kiker) Lollar. He removed to Eldorado, Arkansas. No further record.

LAVONIA BURTON m. Benjamin Powell Hassell on May 9, 1887 by J. M. Williams O.M.G. He was b. Jan. 25, 1856 d. Oct. 7, 1901, buried in Macedonia Church Cemetery.

Miles or Myles Baines Hassell b. March 25, 1812, Edenton, N.C. d. March 19, 1910, Fayette Co., Ala. Son of Miles and Lavinia (Baines) Hassell m. Oct. 27, 1835, Martha Johnson, b. Feb. 3, 1818, S.C. d. Dec. 18, 1901, Fayette Co., Ala.

The Hassell family of Fayette Co. trace their ancestry back to the 1700's to Benjamin Hassell who came to Chowan Co., N.C. from England, with brothers who settled along Albemarle Sound. A later descendant was Myles Hassell, who was b. in Chowan Co., N.C. and d. there in 1819. His widow Lavinia (Baines) Hassell moved with her seven children to Tuscaloosa Co. about 1821, to be with her brother the Rev. Thomas Baines, Baptist Minister.

Myles Baines Hassell, son of Lavinia (Baines) and Benjamin Hassell m. Martha Johnson in Tuscaloosa Co. by Rev. David Andrews. They lived on Watermellon Road til 1869, when they moved to Fayette Co., Ala. with their twelve children.

Myles Hassell died 1819-(son of Benjamin Hassell m. April 8, 1805 at Edenton, N.C. to Lavinia Baines b. ca. 1784, in N.C. d. 1858, dau. of Geo. Baines. From History of Fayette Co. by Newell.

SALINA BURTON dau. of Cader and Lavinia Burton m. John T. Batchelor Nov. 12, 1881 by W.G. Lamburt, O.M.G. J.T. Batchelor b. Sept. 14, 1860, d. Aug. 11, 1913, buried in Dutton Cemetery near Jasper. His wife Selina was called "Line" by her family. Batchelor family not traced.

SUSAN BURTON dau. of Cader and Lavinia (Johnson) Burton b. March 1862 d. Feb. 1, 1884 m. Alfred M. Wright on Jan. 17, 1883, at the residence of Cader Burton by J.S. Steadman, N.P.

HASSELLTINE BURTON dau. of Cader and Lavinia Burton was b. 1865 d. 1953 buried in the Macedonia Cemetery on Holly Grove Road. m. Alfred m. Wright after the death of her sister Susan.

Children:

Seaborn J. Wright m. Virginia Harris

Minta Wright dsp.

Bradford Wright dsp.

Luther Wright m. Bessie dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Steadman

Monroe Wright m. Ethel Hill

Pearl Wright m. Lynn Cunningham.

Gladys Wright m. Adolphus Cain, no children. They live on Gladys' great grandparents old homeplace; the old log house stands near by still in good condition, perhaps John Boshell built this home for his bride Mary "Polly" Lollar. This house greyed with age would make an interesting work for an artist interested in capturing the beauty of age.

MARTHA WRIGHT m. Dorris Thomas son of Wm. Thomas and Paralee Cannon who were married Oct. 15, 1878.

Acie Thomas, son of Dorris and Martha m. Agnes Burton dau. of Caleb and Ada Baker Burton. Caleb Burton, son of John Burton, Jr. and wife Nancy Sides, a grandson of John and Elizabeth (Pruitt) Burton, first of this family to come to Walker County.

Ada Baker was the dau. of Giles and Susan (Knight) Baker; he was a son of Sgt. Richard Baker and wife Dicey a dau. of John and Elizabeth (Pruitt) Burton.

MARTHA ANN BURTON dau. of Cader and Lavinia b. April 6, 1853, d. April 1, 1930 m. W. Jackson Townley b. Oct. 28, 1849 d. Dec. 22, 1932. He was a grandson of Nicholas and Sarah Boshell and son of Mary Boshell and Wm. Townley.

Children:

1. Melissa Townley m. _____ Harbin.
2. Lafayette Townley m. Mattie Dutton. Their dau. m. John Knox McClesky; minister, Church of Christ, Cordova, Ala. Mr. McCleskey is well-known throughout Ala. for his evangelistic work.
3. Robert Townley m. Alice Sparks. He was b. 1871 d. 1946 she was b. 1875 d. 1948. Their son, Fred A. Townley m. Pernie, dau. of Wm. and Leona Steadman.
4. Samuel Townley m. Alfaretta Boshell, dau. of Dixon Boshell.
5. Vollie Townley m. Minnie Gill. Mr. Townley was telegraph operator and agent for the Frisco R.R. until he retired. They reside at Townley, Alabama.
6. Josephine Townley m. James R. Ussery.
7. Maggie Townley m. Dr. John Madison.
8. Lillie Townley m. Minus H. Johnson, Jr., son of Minus H. and Zilpha (Davis) Johnson; Minus Sr. was a son of Capt. Freeman Johnson and wife Charlotte, the dau. of Nicholas and Sarah Boshell.
9. Pernie Townley m. John Williams.

GILES BURTON

B. in Abbeville, S.C. date of birth not known. He was a son of John Burton who was b. 1796 in S.C. and wife Elizabeth Pruitt; she was b. 1796 in S.C. Giles came with his parents to Walker County in 1833; he was in the tax list of 1840, but not in the 1850 census, presume he was dead by 1850, buried in the family plot on the homeplace between Jasper and Holly Grove, said to have died single. He was younger than his brother Cader, who was born 1816 in Abbeville. He entered land in Walker County in 1840.

ELIZABETH BURTON

B. 1828, Abbeville, S.C. came to Walker County with her parents John and Elizabeth Pruitt Burton in 1833, was married to Edmond Knight in 1843; he was b. July 15, 1826 in Ga., d. May 15, 1862 while in service of the Civil War; son of Willoughby Knight, probably of Carroll Co., Ga. He is buried in the John Burton family plot on the homeplace of John and Elizabeth Burton.

Elizabeth Knight went to Dow Indian Territory to make her home with her oldest son, John, in the autumn of 1903 and on Jan, 1, 1904 she was married to J.T. Heathcock of Alderson in the Indian Territory, age 71 years; she was 76 years young, for she was young for the years she had lived being left a widow with seven small children; she managed through work to rear her family to be upright citizens, saw the oldest and youngest pass to the great beyond, never thinking of self only of others. She attended all the parties in the neighborhood, along with the young people, took an active part in her church.

Mr. Heathcock was a Methodist Minister. Elizabeth Burton Knight Heathcock d. about 1908 buried in the Red Oak Cemetery now Dow, Oklahoma. A memory marker was placed for her beside her first husband, Edmond Knight in her parents family plot, by the compiler. She and Edmond had the following children:

Elizabeth Knight b. in 1844 Coosa Co., Ala.

John Knight b. 1845 in Coosa Co., Ala.

Nancy Knight b. 1850 in Coosa Co., Ala.

Lunkin Martin Knight b. 1854 Coosa Co., Ala.

Edmond J. Knight b. _____ in Coosa Co., Ala.

Wm. Peter Knight b. 1859 in Coosa Co., Ala.

Allen Joseph Knight b. 1862 in Coosa Co., Ala.

Elizabeth Knight was b. 1844 in Coosa Co., Ala. d. _____ m. Marion Boshell (son of John and Mary Lollar Boshell); he was b. 1836 in Walker Co., Ala. Their children: John, Mailey-Alice, Texanna and Mary Boshell.

John Boshell m. _____, no children.

Mary Boshell m. _____ Wyers, children: Lewis Wyers m. _____?

JOHN KNIGHT son of Edmond and Elizabeth (Burton) Knight was b. in Coosa Co., Ala. in 1845 d. July 29, 1929 buried in Henryetta, Okla. was married to Mary (Polly) Romine b. 1846 in Walker County, dau. of Wm. and Martha Romine; they had the following children, all girls: Leeta, Mary Ellen, Della, Sallye, Zudie and Lou.

1. Leeta Knight b. _____ m. Greenberry Jenkins; they live in Miami, Okla. children: Mary Ellen Jenkins m. Mr. Boatright; they live in Miami, Okla. Daniel Jenkins lives in Muscogee, Okla; he is an engineer on Southern Pacific.

2. Mary Knight m. _____ Drake, no other record.
3. Della Knight m. _____ Hall; she is living in Henryetta, Oklahoma.
4. Sallye Knight m. _____ Kreidler.
5. Zudie Knight m. _____ Potter.
6. Lou Knight m. _____ "Bud" Green and had a dau. Gertrude; she married Fred De Passe and they resided in Henryetta, Okla., Mrs. De Passe died a few years ago.

Sorry, been unable to locate the descendants of Mary, Della, Sallye or Zudie Knight. Mrs. Ludie Kester 2535 Caspian Ave., Long Beach, Calif. is a descendant of John and Mary (Romine) Knight.

NANCY SUSAN KNIGHT b. Oct. 11, 1850 in Coosa Co., Ala., and d. Sept. 26, 1928, dau. of Edmond and wife Elizabeth (Burton) Knight. Elizabeth was the dau. of John Burton and Elizabeth (Pruitt) Burton of Abbeville, S.C. Nancy m. James Carter Cunningham 1869, b. Nov. 7, 1847 and d. Feb. 27, 1906. He was a brother of Dr. R.M. Cunningham of Corona, Ala., sons of John Cunningham and wife Margaret Lanyard. John Cunningham entered land eleven miles northwest of Jasper on what was known as Pauls' Creek; he was a farmer, mechanic and Justice of the Peace until 1871, when he removed to Morgan Co., Ala. *Walker Co. History says John Cunningham m. Margaret dau. of David Leonard; a granddaughter of James C. Cunningham said her great grandmother Cunningham was Margaret Lanyard, an error exists--feel confident, the granddaughter of James C. Cunningham is correct. Children b. to James C. and Nancy (Knight) Cunningham: Ida, Ira, Elizabeth, Albert, Rufus Marion, Ann, Lillian and Edmond Cunningham.

1. Ida Cunningham b. 1870, m. George Manasco, son of Marion Manasco and wife Samantha b. 1844 dau. of Smiley Wright and wife Talitha _____ b. 1822.

Ch. Wm. Manasco m. Elva dau. of Lucius B. and Virginia Dean (Baker) Wright.

Earl Manasco m. Edith dau. of James Hincoley.

Ezra Manasco m. Ila Dean dau. of "Fet" and Minnie (Sparks) Grace.

Other ch. of Smiley Wright: Mary b. 1840, John Lanier b. 1841 and Caroline b. 1846. She m. John W. Fike.

2. Ira Cunningham b. 1874 d. 1941, m. 1st. Eliza Ward, children of this marriage: Grady Cunningham m. Ruby Tuggle. Essie Cunningham m. Averett Kirkpatrick.

Nettie Cunningham m. 1st. James Thomas, 2nd. James Jones.

Ira m. 2nd. Mary Ary, dau. of Geo. and Milly Ann Jane (Burkette) Ary. Their children:

Clara Cunningham m. John Kirkpatrick, son of Samuel Kirkpatrick and wife Frances Etta Gray.

Esther Cunningham m. Woodrow, son of Samuel and wife Frances Etta (Gray) Kirkpatrick.

Ruby Cunningham m. George Manning.

Edsel Cunningham m. Johnnie B. Avery, dau. of Arthur and Edna (Smith) Avery.

Verdie Cunningham m. J.D. Smith, son of James and Katie (Speegle) Smith.

3. Peter Allen Cunningham b. Oct. 23, 1877, d. 1887.

4. Elizabeth Cunningham b. 1878 d. 1943 m. Geo. O. Gill b. 1881 d. 1938. Children:

1. Jeff m. 1st Adel Dunning, 2nd Jewell McNally.

2. Lynn m. 1st Lula dau. of James King and Mary Ellen (Myers) King m. 2nd Pearl, dau. of Alfred M. Wright and wife Hasseltine Burton.

3. Lucy

4. Frank

5. Rufus

6. Fred

7. Hershell

8. Kathaleen Gill.

5. James Albert Cunningham m. Rilla, dau. of John Nicholas Boshell and wife Celia Katherine (Thomas). John Nicholas was a son of Andrew J. Boshell and his wife Catherine Guttery and the grandson of Nicholas and Sarah Boshell, who came to Walker from Abbeville, S.C. Children: Murray Cunningham m. Irma Pickens, Lillian Cunningham m. Leon Price, son of _____ Price and wife Mandy Myers.

6. Rufus Marion Cunningham m. Sallie, dau. of Thomas Jordon King, wife Elizabeth (Wilson) Jan. 5, 1905. She was b. 1873. Mr. King was a son of John and Lucy (Jordon) King b. Nov. 2, 1820 near Ashland, St. Clair Co., Ala; brought to Walker by his parents 1822, settled on Lost Creek. Mr. King entered the service in Co. L. 56th Ala. Cavalry, under Capt. A.J. Guttery; he was captured at Atlanta in July 1864, was imprisoned at Rock Island, Ill. until the close of the War. He died on April 24, 1912, buried in King family plot near his home. Children of Rufus and Sallie:

A1. Laura Lillian Cunningham graduate of Snead Seminary attend Walker College m. 1st Cecil Hinesley Aug. 17, 1926 their son Robert Cecil Hinesley m. Gladys Mae Smith. M. 2nd Wm. Risen a native of Sweden, now dec'd. Mrs Risen member of Major Thomas Hubbard Chapter D.A.R.

B2. Queen Victoria Cunningham graduate of Snead Seminary and Montevallo College m. Josef Brookshire of Guntersville, Ala. They reside in St. Louis, Mo. Children: Josef and David Brookshire. She is a member of Major Thomas Hubbard Chapter D.A.R.

C3. Mary Elizabeth Cunningham m. Paul Stephenson, son of Dr. Hugh Watson Stephenson and wife Sallie (Masterson), the dau. of James Newton Masterson of Lawrence Co., Ala. Their Ch. Hugh Stuart and Wm. Rufus Stephenson. Mrs. Stephenson attending U. of Ala. working on her Ph.D. in Clinical Physicology. A member of Major Thomas Hubbard Chapter D.A.R.

7. Ann Cunningham b. 1834 d. 1947 m. Sylvester Boshell great grandson of Nicholas and Sarah Boshell of Abbeville, South Carolina. Children:

Olin Boshell m. Mattie Gillispie Thomas.

Earl Boshell m. Catherine Taylor.

Sarah Boshell m. Acie Miller, son of Huet and Ada (Russell) Miller.

Howard Boshell m. Lillian King, dau. of James and Mary Ellen (Myers) King.

8. Lillian Cunningham b. June 7, 1887, d. 1951, buried in Guttery Cemetery, Holly Grove; m. D.F. Boshell, son of Robert W. and Sarah (Thomas) Boshell.

Children:

Vera Boshell m. Bedford Franklin.

Ellette Boshell dec.

D.F. Boshell, Jr.

Lillian Boshell m. W.D. Harris.

9. Wm. Edmond Cunningham m. Nannie Mae Myers, dau. of Howell and Leetha (Bell) Myers. Children:

Tressie Cunningham m. Nancy, dau. of Frank and Lula (Myers) Carmichael.

Raymond Howell Cunningham m. Jaunita McClain, dau. of D. Monroe McClain and wife Queen Ferguson. No. children.

Dorothy Faye Cunningham m. Albert J. Drummond, son of Albert and Ida Drummond.

John Cunningham b. Jan. 29, 1826, m. Margaret Lanyard on Dec. 28, 1845. She was b. Oct. 8, 1826. Children:

James Carter, Dr. R. Moody, John, Lavinia m. _____ Bishop.

Sarah m. _____ Stanford. Martha m. _____ Shelton. David

Watson Cunningham m. _____. Their children:

Morris, Guy, Lula, Ola and Olen Cunningham

(Record by Mrs. Wm. Risen)

Edmond Knight Jr. b. _____ d. May 30, 1938, m. Emily Johnson Jan. 17, 1868, dau. of Dr. Carroll Johnson. (both buried in Guin, Ala.)

Their Children:

I. Maryetta b. Jan. 22, 1870, m. Nooney Simmons. Children names not known.

II. John Wiley b. Sept. 3, 1875, m. _____.

III. Wm. A. b. Dec. 18, 1878, m. 1st Lillie Lannehan. Ch: Lecil Everett dec. had other children.

IV. Joseph M. b. Oct. 27, 1882, d. Sept. 1, 1928, m. Harriett Barnes b. Jan. 29, 1884, d. Dec. 20, 1920.

Children: Dempsey Knight m. _____. Names of other children not known.

V. Phinas Knight m. _____.

The above record copied from the family Bible.

Lumkin Martin Knight b. _____ 1854, d. June 30, 1930, m. Elizabeth Johnson b. Jan. 22, 1850, d. Dec. 6, 1950. Buried in Guin, Ala. Elizabeth was the dau. of Dr. Carroll Johnson.

Ch: John W. Knight b. April 1, 1874, d. March 12, 1939, single.

II. Lona A. Knight b. Sept. 24, 1876, d. Oct. 8, 1954, m. 1st James Lockhart, 2nd _____ Jackson.

III. Virgil Martin Knight b. July 10, 1878, m. _____. Other children:

Florence, Viola, Minnie, Carroll and Murray Knight b. Jan. 30, 1892, d. May 25, 1917.

(Regret no further record. No reply on request for family data.)

VI. Wm. Peter Knight b. March 3, 1859, in Coosa Co., Ala. d. May 15, 1930, Birmingham, Ala. Buried in Oak Hill Cemetery Jasper. He was a merchant several years and like his father a musician, played the violin-his prized Antique Violin now owned by this compiler was m. twice. First marriage to Martha Lucinda Wright b. Feb. 6, 1869, dau. of Seaborn Jones Wright and Anis Elizabeth (Boshell). Their only child Florence Louise. (See later).

M. second to Roma Manasco b. Dec. 14, 1866, d. April 11, 1932, Birmingham, Ala. Buried in Oak Hill Jasper. She was the youngest dau. of Rev. David Manasco and wife Elizabeth R. DeWeese, dau. of Abner DeWeese and Martha (Coker), who were married on Feb. 3, 1823, Jefferson Co., Ala. (By John Brown J.P.)

Ch: of the second marriage.

David Edmond, Katherine Phyllis, Wilburn Calton, Frances Idalee, Joseph Raye and Wm. Roy Knight.

1. Florence Louise Knight and John McQueen Guttery were married Nov. 7, 1910 at the Baptist Pastorium by the Rev. J.H. Longcrier. She is a member of the Major Thomas Hubbard Chapter D.A.R. National # 452788. (Ancestor Joseph Burton, S.C.) Mr. Guttery, son of Geo. Houston Guttery and Alice C. Stanley: grandson of Rev. Robert and wife Sarah Ann (Williams) Guttery pioneers of Walker Co. Rev. Robert Guttery, son of the Rev. Wm. and Hannah Guttery, and Rev. Wm. Guttery was the son of Robert Guthrie and wife Elizabeth of Elbert Co., Ga. John McQueen Guttery traces his maternal lineage in an unbroken line back in England to 1612- to Thomas Chappell I, who came to the Virginia Colony June 1635-

Thomas Chappell's father was Capt. John Chappell, Master of the Ship "Speedwell". We do not have his birth date.

Mr. Gutterys National S.A.R. # 81845 on service of Abner Chappell-Amelia Co., Va.

Their son, John McQueen Guttery, Jr. b. July 2, 1915, graduated at Walker High School on May 28, 1932, attended U. of A. three years, graduated from the University of Louisville Medical School in Dentistry on June 5, 1939, interned one year at Nashville General Hospital, Nashville, Tenn. Was married to Vivian Douglas Ballard, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. James Wm. Ballard of Ravenna, Ky., on Aug. 26, 1939, Tulip Street Methodist Church, Nashville, Tenn. Dr. James N. Owen, Jr. of

Shawnee, Okla., and Miss Lillian Harrison of Ravenna, Ky., attendants, Marriage ceremony by Dr. Anderson.

After his entershhip in General Hospital, went to Dyersburg, Tenn., to make their home and practice his chosen profession; has three children: Katherine Stanley Guttery graduated from Dyersburg High School 1958, where she was voted Miss Dyersburg High School, attends Southwestern University, Memphis, Tenn., where she was selected as one of the top beauties for the 1959 yearbook. Her sorority Delta, Delta, Delta.

John McQueen Guttery III attends Dyersburg High and is an Eagle Scout, Stephen Douglas Guttery is two years old.

Dr. Guttery volunteered early in W.W. II, served as Major, spent three years overseas, after returning went back to Dyersburg to live, Steward in the First Methodist Church there, active in Scout work, Vice President of Tenn. Board of Dental Examiners, Chairman of City Board of Education, A Fellow in American College of Dentists, A Director of Country Club, Member of S.A.R., ect.

2. David Edmond Knight m. Ora Dell Tirey, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Tirey. Children:

a. William Jackson Knight b. June 12, 1919, d. May 27, 1956.

b. James Edward Knight m. Joan Griffin of Virginia at the Presbyterian Church, Tuscaloosa, Ala. Joan a graduate of Randolph Macon College. James served in W.W. II in the Medical Corp., was stationed at Nurnberg, Germany, afterwards, on his return home, he entered the University, graduated, majored in art. They have two children: James Edward Knight, Jr. and Gail Knight residing in Louisville, Ky.

c. Gloria Katherine Knight and James Morris Guttery were m. May 20, 1946, at Central Church of Christ, Birmingham: he is the son of Walter L. and Virginia (Kennedy) Guttery and grandson of John M. Guttery and wife Elizabeth (Morris) and great grandson of Wm. "Buck" Guttery and Elizabeth (Williams) and a gr. gr. gr. grandson of Rev. Robert and Sarah Ann (Williams) Guttery. His father, Walter L. Guttery was elected the first Mayor of Parrish, Ala., in 1922, Mr. Guttery was a merchant, took an active part in civic affairs. James Morris is owner of Shell Service in Jasper, Gloria Katherine, a teacher in the public school system of Walker County, now attending the University; they have two lovely young daughters, Joan and Gail.

d. Charles Tirey Knight m. Shirley Weech, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Weech of Louisville, Ky. Charles was in the Air Force, stationed in Alaska; they have a little daughter. He is attending Palmers' College, Davenport, Iowa.

3. Katherine Phyllis Knight and Thomas Jackson Calvert were married at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peter Knight in Jasper on May 14, 1923. Dr. Taylor, minister. Mr. Calvert served in W.W. I and II as Col. He was business manager of Veterans Hospital in Tuscaloosa. Mr. Calvert traces his lineage back to Calverts of Maryland. Mr. Calvert d. Dec. 13, 1952. Katherine majored in music at Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga. They had two children:

Thomas Jackson Calvert, Jr. graduated from Pittsburgh, Pa., high school, was an air force pilot in England later served in Japan as a jet flyer, graduate of U. of A. His fraternity S.A.E. Catherine Knight Calvert graduate from Spokane, Wash. high school, went to University of Idaho; her first year, graduate of U. of A. Her sorority Delta, Delta, Delta. Was m. to Lee Bidgood Jr. at the First Baptist Church in Tuscaloosa. Mr. Bidgood is the son of Dr. Lee and Mrs. Bidgood of Tuscaloosa. They have four children: Lee III, Virginia Calvert, Thomas Calvert and Elizabeth Camille Bidgood. Mr. Bidgood is with Dupont Chemical Corporation. They reside in Wilmington, Del.

4. Wilburn C. "Jack" Knight m. Nancy Smith of Oxford, Ala.; have an adopted dau., Nancy. They reside in Vestavia, Birmingham, Alabama. "Jack" went to Auburn and the University of Pa. With Ala. Power Co.

5. Frances Idalie Knight m. Charles H. Hale. Mr. Hale's parents were residents of Birmingham. The Hales came from England. They have three daus.: Jeanne Marie, Camille and Romalita.

a. Jeanne Marie Hale and Kenneth Presley were married at the First Baptist Church in Muscogee, Okla. He was a Major in the Air Force during W.W.II, Jeanne Marie is attending the University of Tulsa, working on her degree.

b. Camille Hale graduate of Baylor University.

c. Romalita Hale attended college in Boston. Later went to Baylor.

6. Joseph Raye Knight m. Dorothy Rogers. Three children: Raynelle, Gregory and Gail Knight.

7. Wm. Roy Knight and Allene Rogers of Wartrace, Tenn. were married while he was in service prior to his service in Japan, now living in Nashville, Tenn. He attended the University of Ala. Member of Sigma Nu Fraternity, now engaged in personal work veterans admr. Have an adopted dau., Katherine.

ALLEN JOSEPH KNIGHT

Son of Edmond Knight and Elizabeth (Burton) b. March 16, 1862 d. March 29, 1899, m. Lou Nelson on Dec. 25, 1886, at residence of S. Nelson by E.H. Harris, Minister. Lou was a granddaughter of Rev. Robert Davis, who did much to spread methodism in Northwest Ala. Children:

1. Carrie Knight m. Henry Harbin.

2. Velma Knight m. Fred Johnson of Berry, Ala., no children.

3. William Knight m. _____?

4. Minnie Knight m. _____?

5. Susan Knight m. _____?

6. Charles Knight m. _____?

7. Mary Knight m. Clay Kimbrell, a Baptist Minister; their children: Laura Lou, Verla, Ruth, Henry and Charles Kimbrell. Mary (Knight) Kimbrell d. Sept. 16, 1960. Buried in Oneonta Cemetery.

JOHN BURTON, JR.

Son of John and Elizabeth (Pruitt) Burton was b. in Abbeville, S.C., Dec. 20, 1829 m. Nancy Sides b. _____ d. _____, both are buried in the Macedonia Church of Christ Cemetery on Holly Grove Road. John Burton, Jr. Sept. 1862 enlisted at Jasper as a private in Co. B. 56th Ala. Cav. under Capt. Freeman Johnson and served throughout the Confederate War.

Children: Minnie Lee, John III, Rawleigh, Elizabeth, Wm. Coleman, Lou and Caleb Burton.

1. Minnie Lee Burton m. _____ Williams.
2. Rawleigh Burton b. 1875 d. 1933 m. Mattie Speegle b. Dec. 8, 1878 d. Aug. 22, 1912. Children:
 - a. Icie Lee m. John Blankenship.
 - b. Willie Lozzel m. Murphey Dodd.
 - c. Beatrice Mae
 - d. Macie Irene m. Theodore T. Wade.
 - e. Albert Hoyt m. Gladys _____.
 - f. Annie Hazel m. Dixie Myers.
 - g. Johnnie B. m. Henry Townley. Dau. Helen Townley m. Edward Miller.
 - h. Henry Grady _____.

3. Elizabeth Burton m. Robert W. Carmichael on Aug. 27, 1889 at residence of John Burton by W.D. Boshell, Justice of Peace.

4. William Coleman Burton m. Elizabeth Tennessee Guttery on Oct. 8, 1878 at the home of her father, Rev. Isham Prince Guttery by David Manasco, O.M.G. was b. Jan. 21, 1861 d. May 7, 1950 in Girard, Texas. Wm. Coleman Burton d. Dec. 18, 1929. Children:

- Minnie Burton m. Vance Purcell 1897.
- Maude Burton m. F.R. McDaniel 1904.
- Floyd Burton m. Ethel Willshough 1906.
- Sudie Burton m. Claude Moorman 1910.
- Annie Burton m. A.O. Lewis 1912.
- Emma Burton m. Titus Guthrie 1913.
- Maggie Burton m. Hiram Pool 1919.
- John Burton m. Millie Putty 1918.
- William Burton m. Millie Lee Gregory 1921.
- Clemmie Burton m. Dewery Carr 1926.
5. Lou Burton dsp. Jan. 9, 1959.
6. John Burton III no record.

7. Caleb (Cale) Burton m. Ada Baker b. April 14, 1889 d. July 1, 1920, dau. of Giles and Susan (Knight) Baker, granddaughter of Dicey Burton and Sgt. Richard Baker, gr. granddaughter of John and Elizabeth (Pruitt) Burton, who came to Walker County late in 1833, from Abbeville, S.C. Children:

1. Raymond Burton m. Myrtle dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Guttery, son of Columbus C. and wife Adaline Boshell, who was the dau. of McMinter and Maria C. Boshell. Columbus C. Guttery was a son of Rev. Robert Guttery and wife Sarah Ann Williams. Rev. Robert Guttery, son of Wm. and Hanna _____ Guttery Wm. Guttery, oldest child of Robert Guthrie of Elbert Co., Ga. d. 1797 wife Elizabeth d. 1825 in Hall Co., Ga. near Gainesville.

2. Ezra Burton m. Clara Belle Dutton.
3. Mayo Burton m. David Bailey.
4. Agnes Burton m. Acie Thomas, son of Dorris Thomas and wife Martha Wright. Dorris is the son of Wm. Thomas and Paralee Cannon, who were married at the residence of Russell Guttery on Oct. 15, 1878 by Seaborn J. Wright, J/P. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas live at Townley, Alabama.

BIBLE RECORD

* PETER S. BURTON

Son of John Burton and wife Elizabeth (Pruitt) Burton was b. July 24, 1833, d. Jan. 11, 1900 (on marker d. 1901) m. Mary Elizabeth Townley on June 10, 1855, Children:
 Frances E. Burton b. June 1, 1856.
 Sarah Jane Burton b. May 25, 1858.
 Georgia Ann Burton b. Oct. 16, 1859.
 John Henry Burton b. Oct. 25, 1861.
 Mary Dicey Burton b. Oct. 30, 1864.
 Pinkey Burton b. March 18, 1867.
 Christine Lucinda Burton b. May 13, 1868.
 David Lucius Burton b. Nov. 25, 1872.
 Willie Dire Burton b. Nov. 16, 1874.
 Wilburn Burton b. Feb. 24, 1878.

DEATHS

Pinkey Burton d. March 23, 1867.
 David Lucius Burton d. Dec. 22, 1873.
 Willie Dire Burton d. Nov. 20, 1874.
 Wilburn Burton d. Feb. 24, 1878.
 Peter S. Burton d. Jan. 11, 1900.
 Mary Elizabeth Burton d. June 5, 1904.
 (Bible owned by Mrs. Frances Elizabeth (McCleskey) Sparks, dau. of Frances E. Burton and Wm. P. McCleskey, granddaughter of Peter S. Burton.)

FRANCES ELIZABETH BURTON dau. of Peter S. Burton and wife Elizabeth Townley b. June 1, 1856 was m. to Wm. P. McCleskey at the residence of Peter S. Burton on Jan. 10, 1878 by G.A. Smith O.M.G. Children of this union:

1. Wm. P. McCleskey, Jr. m. Ethel, dau. of the Rev. John Lanier Wright. Children: Ira, Robert, Evelyn, Mary, Lura, and Lorene McCleskey.
- Evelyn McCleskey m. Marcus Guthrie.
 Mary McCleskey m. James Knott.
 Lura McCleskey m. Wm. Jefferson Jones.
 Lorene McCleskey m. Grady Jones. They have a son, Mr. Jones is active in civic affairs. Mrs. Jones taught school, Ala. graduate, takes an active part in her church, A.U.W. and club work.

2. John Knox McCleskey, Minister, son of Wm. P. and wife Frances Elizabeth (Burton) McCleskey. M. Bessie Townley, dau. of Fayette Townley. Children? Evelyn, Earline, Zora Mae, Louise, Mildred and John Wm. McCleskey.

Mr. McCleskey is well known throughout Ala. for his evangelistic work in the Church of Christ.

3. Mary Frances McCleskey, dau. of Wm. P. McCleskey and wife Frances Elizabeth Burton, who was a dau. of Peter S. Burton and wife Mary Elizabeth Townley m. John Elijah James Sparks. Mr. Sparks' family is one of the pioneer families of Walker County. Their children:

1. Nellie Petro Sparks m. Jacob Perry Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Spencer Black, a descendant of the Blacks' who came to Walker Co. about 1833 from York Co., S.C. Jacob Black served in the Rev. War. Their dau., Annie Laurie Black m. Hershel Jackson Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pettus Barton, who was a son of Jackson Barton, a descendant, perhaps of Moses Barton, the first of that name to come to Walker Co. is according to family tradition, a descendant of David Barton, who with his brother Abraham, came to America from England in 1672. Abraham settled first in Maryland and later went to New England. David settled on the James River in Va. one of his descendants, also named David Barton, went with Daniel Boone into Ky. and was killed by Indians at Harrodsburg, Ky. in 1767, five of his sons served in the Rev. War, and one of these five was also named David, was a Col. of Va. troops and served with Geo. Washington at Valley Forge. Thomas Barton, a son of the last named David Barton, was married to Susan Keys, a dau. of John and Susan Keys, of Fairfax County, Va.

Thomas and Susan (Keys) Barton moved to Morgan Co., Ga. in 1794 and came to Ala. Territory in 1817, the first white settlers to locate north of the Tallapoosa River; it is thought that Moses Barton was a son of Thomas and Susan (Keys) Barton.

Moses Barton came to Walker Co. about 1822 for in that year the records show that he entered gov't land on Warrior River near the mouth of Blackwater Creek. He died 1840, buried in old Sardis Cemetery on Warrior River. He was the father of a large family, among his children being Hiram, John Mace; Nathaniel, Moses Jr., Lidia Barton who m. Sam. Morrow, Nancy Barton m. John Robins and moved to Texas, Rebecca Barton m. Burgess Mullens; they went to Texas, Frances Barton m. James Morrow moved to Calhoun Co., Miss., James A. Barton, Louisa Barton m. _____ Sanders, Mary A. Barton m. _____ Nations, Milly Barton m. _____ Raines. (From Walker Co. Tract Record, Barton Family Tradition, Probate Records, Estate of Hiram Barton.) The Bartons played a prominent part in the early Primitive Baptist Church of Walker Co. for further information of the Barton Family see History of Walker County by Dombhart.

JOHN HENRY BURTON b. Oct. 25, 1861 d. ____ 1948 son of Peter S. Burton and wife Mary Elizabeth Townley was m. 1st to Sophia Davis on July 28, 1881 had a son, Marsellis Burton, m. 2nd to Mary Susan Lollar. (See James A. Lollar). Had the following children: Clara, Joseph Wheeler, Clinton, James H., Maxwell, Nettie, Etha, John Henry, Jr. and Vernon Burton.

Clara Burton m. David Stocks.

Joseph Wheeler Burton m. Ellen ____.

Maxwell Burton m. Pauline Craven. Mr. Burton is a building contractor; he has erected several beautiful homes; they have a son Robert "Bobby" Burton.

Nettie Burton m. Walter Estes resides in Birmingham.

Etha Burton m. Blaine Miller.

John Henry Burton Jr. m. Madge Gunter, dau. of James Gunter and wife Molly O'Rear. Mr. Burton was elected Mayor of Jasper twice, later became business manager of Howard College, Birmingham, Ala., where they now reside.

Vernon Burton m. Miss Redmill.

Clinton Burton

James H. Burton m. Maude Sherer, dau. of Madison Monroe "Bud" Sherer and wife Martha, who was the dau. of Wiley and Caroline (Sides) Kilgore. Mr. Burton operated a grocery store several years; a postal employee at one time, member of the Prospect Baptist Church near Jasper, where he and Mrs. Burton take an active part in church work; they have two sons: Carl and Craig.

James Carl Burton m. Clara Lovelady, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lovelady of Double Springs, Ala. Mr. Burton is the general manager of A. and P. Store in Jasper, Their ch:

Helen Burton m. K. Don Salmon.

James Carl Burton Jr.

Craig Burton m. Ivous Sizemore of Guin, Ala. Children: Linda Burton m. Don Shumate, Craig Burton, Jr. attending school and Hal Burton.

Christine Lucinda Burton, dau. of Peter S. Burton and wife Mary Elizabeth Townley b. May 13, 1868 m. David Beasley. They have children.

Georgia Ann Burton, dau. of Peter S. Burton and wife Mary Elizabeth Townley was b. Oct. 16, 1859 m. Joshua Atkins June 13, 1881 by F.A. Gamble O.M.G. d. June 1, 1911. Joshua Atkins b. April 9, 1858 d. Feb. 5, 1897, Children: "Zeke" Atkins m. Frances White, no issue; Charles Atkins m. Nan Amiss, dau. of Thomas J. and Mrs. Amiss, was Miss Crocker before her marriage. Children: Margaret Atkins m. Mr. Nuttall. Mrs. Nuttall is engaged in social work. Jean Atkins m. Mr. Gilpin Churchman; they reside in Denver, Colo. Charles Atkins Jr. m. Jean Bagley; they have a little dau., "Becky."

MARY PETER DICY BURTON b. Oct. 30, 1864, dau. of Peter S. Burton and wife Mary Elizabeth Townley, was married as Mary E. Burton to W.C. Kitchens on Nov. 9, 1882 at the residence

of Peter S. Burton by F.A. Gamble O.M.G. Children:

Bertha Kitchens m. Rufus Dutton.

Mary Kitchens m. James Boshell, youngest child of James Bennett and Sarah Boshell, she resides at Mobile, Ala.

Fernando Kitchens, oldest child of W.C. Kitchens and wife Mary Burton lives in Oklahoma.

Sarah Jane Burton b. May 25, 1858 was m. to Lewis L. Wright on Feb. 3, 1881 at residence of her father Peter S. Burton by A.J. Waldrop M.G. Lewis L. Wright was the son of Elias Wright and wife Petro (Lampkin) Wright. Children:

John Wright R.R. engineer on S.P.

Bert Wright

Newton Wright

Conna ? Wright

Belle Wright

Lewis L. Wright and family moved to Texas, he and Sarah Jane died there.

SARAH BURTON

Dau. of John Burton b. Dec. 16, 1835 d. July 22, 1889. and wife Elizabeth (Pruitt) b. 1796 d. 1886. was b. Dec. 16, 1835 d. July 22, 1889 m. W. Benjamin Sides, son of Henry Sides, Jr., b. Aug. 29, 1832 d. March 11, 1893, both buried in Pisgah Cemetery at Carbon Hill, Ala. Their children: Alford Sides, John Sides, Elijah Sides, and one dau. Haley Susan Elizabeth Sides, m. 1st Mr. Jackson, 2nd Mr. Welch. Lives at Carbon Hill, Alabama.

BIBLE RECORD OF ALFORD SIDES

Alford Sides b. Dec. 9, 1856 m. James Alice Hendon b. April 26, 1863. Their children: (They were m. March 1, 1880).

Sarah O. Sides b. March 17, 1884.

A.L. Sides b. May 21, 1882.

Bervil Alford Sides b. May 10, 1886, m. Esther Walls.

J. Sam Lafayette Sides b. Oct. 7, 1888, m. Mabel Stewart.

Minnie Lee Sides b. Jan. 7, 1891, m. Jesse Lazenby.

Genie F. Sides b. Feb. 21, 1893, m. Verbal Sparks.

Rosetta Sides b. Feb. 11, 1895, m. Fletcher Knight.

Roy Anders Sides b. Aug. 7, 1897, m. Mabel Wood.

Mabel Alice Sides b. Dec. 8, 1900, m. Omis Hill.

Frank E. Sides b. Feb. 26, 1903.

Henry Staple Sides b. June 6, 1905, m. Gladys Bean.

Wm. Milton Sides b. Aug. 17, 1907.

CALEB BURTON

B. in Ala. 1838 in the 1850 census of Walker Co. was a son of John Burton b. in Abbeville, S.C. 1796 and wife Elizabeth (Pruitt). Caleb Burton was married to ____; they had children: he died in the Confederate War at Vicksburg; the children removed to Miss. (All that I have found on Caleb Burton).

DICY BURTON

Born Nov. 2, 1840 in Ala. d. Nov. 1, 1870 was the youngest child of John and Elizabeth Burton m. Sgt. Richard F. Baker b. Sept. 4, 1833 d. April 17, 1838 buried near Copeland's Ferry on Warrior River, Children: John, Giles and Virginia Dean.

John Francis Baker b. Sept. 1, 1859 d. ____ m. Sarah E. Wright, dau. of Seaborn Jones and Anis Elizabeth (Boshell) Wright. Ch: Beauregard, Lucy, Dolly Owen, Hope, Ida, Virginia and Jeanette Baker.

Beauregard Baker m. Madaline Jenkins, have a dau., Dorothy; they reside in Chicago.

Miss Lucy Baker, school teacher.

Dolly Owen Baker m. Ralph R. Cooper on Dec. 8, 1917. Their children:

Ralph R. Cooper Jr. served with the 8th Air Force, living in California.

Reba Cooper and Edward J. Kelly of Conn. m. in the Congregational Church in San Francisco, Calif.

John Noel Cooper m. Aletha Armstrong of San Antonio, Texas. He served in the Navy in W.W. II.

Arthur Bernard Cooper served with 26th Lightning Div.

Dolly Frances Cooper m. Roy Walls, lives at Leeds, Ala.

Rose Cooper resides in San Francisco, where she is a secretary in the Consulate of India.

Carolyn Cooper m. Lawrence Morgan; they live at Topeka, Kansas.

Priscilla Cooper, resides in Los Angeles, Calif., where she is studying ballet.

Jeanette Baker m. Barney Lawler; their dau., Janet attends college. Mrs. Lawler is a teacher in Jefferson Co., Ala.

Ida Baker dsp.

Miss Virginia Baker was in nursing training at South Highland Hospital, Birmingham, Ala.

GILES M. BAKER

Born May 18, 1866 d. Dec. 18, 1955 m. Susan Knight b. Nov. 26, 1867 d. Oct. 7, 1929. Children: Frank, Ada, Ola & others.
1. Frank Baker m. Zula Myers, dau. of Wesley Asberry Myers and wife Pattie Johnson, dau. of Capt. Freeman and Charlotte (Boshell) Johnson; she was a dau. of Nicholas and Sarah Boshell, who came to Walker County from Abbeville, S.C.

2. Ada Baker m. Caleb Burton, son of John Burton Jr. and wife Nancy Sides (see family of John Burton Jr.),

3. Ola Baker m. Joseph Abb. Breakfield, son of Sampson E. Breakfield and wife Sallie (Harris). Children:

Christine Breakfield m. Oscar E. Merritt.

Pauline Breakfield m. A.J. McDaniel Jr.

Eunice Breakfield m. John Bagley.

Amos Breakfield m. Willetta O'Mary.

Joseph Abb. Jr. m. Mary Evelyn Davis.

VIRGINIA DEAN BAKER

Born 1867 d. 1933 m. Lucius B. Wright b. 1874 d. 1944; He was the son of Seaborn Jones and Annis Elizabeth (Boshell) Wright; she was the only dau. of John and Mary (Lollar) Boshell and a granddaughter of Nichohalas and Sarah (Baker) Boshell, children:

Wyman Wright m. Gladys Swindle.

Cleo Wright m. Richard Sparks on Dec. 27, 1924. Children:

H.C. Sparks b. 1926 m. Mildred Pharr.

J.T. Sparks b. 1929 m. Jerry Norris.

Mary E. Sparks b. May 3, 1932 m. Howard Redmill.

Glenn Allen Sparks b. July 12, 1938.

Dewey Wright m. Flora Belle Wright.

Henry Clay Wright

Pearl Wright m. Lynn Cunningham

Katie Wright

WILLIAM PRATT

B. ca. 1734 d. 1797 Abbeville Dist., S.C. He served in the Rev. War from S.C. He was married twice 1st to Emma Haze 2nd to Mary Drennen. William Pratt of the Long Canes m. Mary Drennon 28th Jan. 1783. Wm. Drennon signed the bond and the bond was addressed to Rev. John Harris. This marriage bond appeared in the minute Book 96 Dist. Surrogate Court, kept by Patrick Calhoun. She survived her husband. She and Joseph Pratt were admr. of the Estate of William Pratt. Children of 1st marriage:

1. Sarah Pratt b. 1756 d. May 22, 1858 m. Rev. Cador Gantt b. April 5, 1771 d. Dec. 2, 1848. No children: both buried in The Little River Baptist Church Cemetery, Abbeville Co., S.C. (see Cador Gantt)

2. Mary Pratt b. ca. 1763 d. 1829. (see Josiah Burton).

3. Joseph Pratt b. 1768 d. ____ m. Elizabeth Jones. Children:
-Amy Pratt m. Samuel Young.

-Sarah Pratt m. Wm. Young.

-Wm. Pratt b. Sept. 27, 1798 d. Jan. 26, 1864 buried in Little River Cemetery.

-Elizabeth Pratt m. John McConnell.

-John Pratt b. 1812-1849 m. Nancy Norris Harkness b. 1814-1872.

He was the youngest son. Have record of two sons of John and Nancy Pratt: Thomas Rufus Pratt m. ____; they are the gr. grandparents of Mrs. Edward H. Shook, Dallas, Texas. Second son of John and Nancy Pratt is Robert Marion Pratt, b. 1845 and his son John N. Pratt b. about 1870 d. a few years ago in his mid-eighties. He served as clerk of the Little River Church for twenty-years. Been informed that John N. Pratt kept a set of diaries for many years, since his death have been turned over to the college at Due West in Abbeville Co., S.C. John N. Pratt in a letter to his cousin Mrs. Edw. H. Shook, Dallas, Texas several years ago wrote that Joseph Pratt was a son of Wm. Pratt and Emma Haze (Hays); she died during the Rev. War. Wm. Pratt later married Mary Drennen.

John N. Pratt knew many of the old land marks including the location of the Pratt Mill on Little River, mentioned in the Rev. War record of Wm. Pratt; this old mill race, which only a few years ago was still plainly visible, probably still there; cousin John N. lived in the house which his grandfather John Pratt built for his bride Nancy N. Harkness, in which all of their children were born. The land has been sold; the old house torn down, now replaced with a little modern cottage.

4. William Pratt, son of William Pratt and Emma Haze m. ____ and removed to Ky. They had nine children. A dau. Susannah married Tyra Gantt, son of Wm. Gantt.

5. James Pratt.

6. David Pratt

Land records owned by Mrs. Edward H. Shooks, Dallas, Texas a descendant of Joseph Pratt, showing that Wm. Pratt father of Joseph owned property on Hogskin Creek, one covering conveyance of a tract of land on Little River containing 100 acres to Joseph Pratt for one shilling, this in 1794 from William and Mary Pratt.

Joseph Pratt, also bought a tract of land in 1803 from his brother, Wm., who was living in Ky. at the time. All his part of the land, which fell to him at the decease of his father, William Pratt est.

Another deed executed to Tyra Gantt in 1815 to Joseph Pratt, conveying 50 acres, it being his share or part of the land left to his wife, Susannah Pratt, by her father, William Pratt, est. (Note William Pratt, mentioned here was the son of William Pratt, who died 1797 and his first wife Emma Haze.) (William Pratt, wit: the will of "Molly" Burton, wife of Josiah Burton.)

SOUTE CAROLINA

Pursuant to an act of the General Assembly passed the 16 of March 1783. We the commissioners of the Treasury, have this day delivered to Wm. Pratt this our indented certificate for the sum of thirty four pounds, four shillings and three pence for Military Duty.

The said William Pratt, his executors administrators or assigns, will be entitled to receive from this office the sum of five pounds seven shillings and eleven pence for one years interest on the principal sum of thirty four pounds four shillings and three pence.

At Sundry times in the year 1781 received of Wm. Pratt, for the use of General Pickens Brigade, then on duty by me, six hogs of one hundred weight each also two beeves, one four years old and the others three, one hundred bushels of corn and one hundred and fifty weight of flower by me.

John Norwood Captain.

Gentlemen,

Please to Deliver the interest that may be due me from the state of S.C. for Militia Duty and other service done in Col. Robert Danderford Reg. to Capt. John Norwood and his receipt shall be a discharge from Genel?

Your Humble servant,

William Pratt

(This document was in long hand; hard to decipher, due to the faded condition.)

Personally appeared Wm. Pratt and made oath that on the night of the Third of Oct. 1781 being in the company of Capt. John Norwood of General Rikes? Brigade at Prats Mill, when a large body of Indians and Tory, commanded by Cunningham defeated that company, and lost one Bay mare his own right and property in the public service and never got the said

mare, nor received any value for the same signed and sworn to before me. William Luckie July 18, 1783.

South Carolina, Ninety Six District.

Personally came John Norwood, James Lindsey and made oath that they knew the above mentioned mare and at the request of Wm. Pratt, have appraised her to one hundred and nineteen pounds currency.

John Norwood
James Lindsey

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signed and sworn before me 18th July 1783, William Luckie.

W. 630 No. 37:

Wm. Pratt his act of Duty in Militia as a private done since the reduction of Charlestown, also for a mare lost in service for provision supplied the Militia in 1781.

Wm. Pratt served in the Rev. War in the Militia as a Private since the reduction of Charlestown.

Your Humble servant
William Pratt
July 26, 1785

ESTATE OF WM. PRATT, ABBEVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA

By the worshipful Court of Abbeville County aforesaid where- as Mary Pratt (widow) and Joseph Pratt, applied to this court for letters of administration of all and singular the goods, chattles, rights and credits of Wm. Pratt---late of this county, deceased as next of kin.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before us in the county court to be held for the said county at the same place of holding the said court.

William Pratt
Administration Bond

County of Abbeville, Court
State of South Carolina

Know all men by these presents that we Mary Pratt, widow, Joseph Pratt, Gen. John Norwood and Cader Gantt---unto the Judges of Abbeville County Court and their survivors in office in the just and full sum of six Thousand Dollars--- to be paid to the said Judges or their survivors in office to which payment well and truly to be made and done. We bind ourselves as heirs executors and administrators jointly and severly firmly by the presents sealed with our seals and dated the twenty eight day of March---in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven and of the independence of the United States of North America the twenty first.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Mary Pratt and Joseph Pratt--administrators of the goods, chattles and credits of Wm. Pratt--deceased do

make a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods chattles and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of the said Mary Pratt and Joseph Pratt—or in to the hands or possession of any other person or persons for them and the same so made exhibit unto the said court of Abbeville County when they shall be thereunto required and such goods, chattles and credits do well and truly administer according to law and do make a just and true account of their actings and doings therein when required by the said court, and all the rest of the said goods, credits, chattles which shall be found remaining upon the account of the said administration, the same being first allowed by the court shall deliver and pay unto such persons respectively as are entitled by the same by law and if it shall hereafter appear that any last will and testament was made by the said deceased and the same be proved in court and the executors obtain a certificate of the Probate thereof and the said Mary Pratt and Joseph Pratt—do in such case if required render and deliver up the said Letters of Administration then their obligation to be void or else to remain in full force.

signed sealed and delivered in presence of:

Mary Pratt (seal)

Joseph Pratt (seal)

John Norwood (seal)

Cador Gantt (seal)

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy,

Marion J. Erwin, Judge of Probate
Abbeville, S.C.

Inventory of the property of William Pratt, dec'd is too long to list here. The property was sold at public vendue, July 6, 1797. This is a list of those who bought at the auction from this inventory; he owned Negro slaves and much property, walnut furniture Pewter-delft China, cattle of all kinds. His lands not sold at this auction.

WILLIAM PRATT, WARRANT OF APPRAISEMENT

State of S.C. Abbeville County, To Wit.

By the worshipful court of Abbeville County aforesaid to Josiah Burton, Gen. Norwood, Capt. John McAdams, John Burton and John Lindsey—Freeholders Greeting! These are to authorise you, are any three of you to repair to all such places in this county as you shall be directed-unto by Mary Pratt, widow and Joseph Pratt, administrators of the Estate of m. Pratt, late of this county—deceased wheresoever any of the goods and chattles of the said deceased are within the said places and which shall be shown to you by the administrators and there view and appraise the same being first sworn, to make a true and perfect inventory and appraisement thereof and cause the same to be returned certified under the hands

of any three of you unto the said administrators within sixty days from date thereof.

Certified by order of court this twenty eighth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand and seven hundred and ninety seven and of the Independence of the United States of North America the twenty first.

J.A. Wardlow (L) C.C.

I do certify that the (Blur here) Named Gen. John Norwood Capt. John McAdams and John Lindsey were duly sworn before me this 29th day of April, 1797. Sam Watt (L)

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy:

Marion J. Erwin, Judge of Probate.
Abbeville County, South Carolina.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM PRATT
Citation for the Estate

State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

By the worshipful court of Abbeville County, aforesaid, whereas Mary Pratt, widow, and Joseph Pratt--applied to this court for letters of administration of all and singular the goods, chattles, rights and credits of Wm. Pratt--late of this county deceased, as next of kin.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased, to be and appear before us in the county court to be held for the said county at the same place of holding the said court on the twenty fifth day of March next after publication hereof, to show cause if any they can why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand by order of court this eighth day of Feb. in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven and of the Independence of the United States of North America the twenty first.

/s/ J.A. Wardlaw (L.C.C.)

The above read at an appointment meeting at Due West Corner certified this 25th of Feb. by

/s/ P. McMullan.

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy,

Marion J. Edwin Judge of Probate,
Abbeville County, S.C.

BUYERS AT THE SALE OF THE PROPERTY OF WM. PRATT, DEC'D.

Thomas Taylor, Robert Greene, James Rusel, Joseph Burton, John Robertson, Mathew Fox, William Brennen, Joseph Pratt, John Sullivan, Francis Cunningham, Joseph Pratt, Mary Pratt, Samuel Pruitt, John Shirley, Josiah Burton, Wm. Beck, John Miller, James Gilmore, Wm. Tyner, Joseph Pratt, Mary Pratt, Austin Smith, Wm. Tyner, Joseph Ellis, Mary Pratt, Joseph Ellis, John Lindsey, Wm. McKee, Robert Green, Josiah Burton,

Mary Pratt, Thomas Asborne, Mathew Fox, James Drennen, Ebenezer Miller, Mary Pratt, Josiah Pratt, Mary Pratt, Jacob Heckleman, Wm. McCurry, Andrew Webb, John Calhoun, Mary Pratt, Mary Pratt, Mary Pratt, Joseph Pratt, Joseph Burton, Joseph Burton, Mary Pratt, Mary Pratt, Thomas Jones, Thomas Jones, Aaron McWhiter, Mary Pratt, Robert Simmons, Samuel Pruitt, Andrew Kirkpatrick, Robert Bell, Robert Bell, Robert Bell, Robert Elgin, Robert Bell, Samuel Norwood, Robert Bell, John Liddle, John Lanyard, Andrew Kennedy, Robert Black, Mary Pratt, Wm. Drennon, Mary Pratt, Isaac Cowen, John Martin, John Osborne, Benjamin Shirley, James Baird, Balaam Mauldin, John Perry, James Lindsey.

I do certify that the foregoing is a just and true inventory of the personal estate of William Pratt late of this county of Abbeville. Deceased as has been sold by Mary Pratt and Joseph Pratt, at public sale July the sixth 1797, as witness my hand. /s/Jn. Cunningham, Clerk of Vendue.

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy.
Marion J. Erwin, Judge of Probate, Abbeville, S.C.

DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM PRATT

Abbeville District, S.C.

A. William Pratt, b. ca 1734 d. ca 1797 m. 1st ca 1755 Emma Haze who d. during the Rev. War. He m. 2nd Mary (? Drennan 1-28-1783). Children of first marriage:

B-1. Sarah Pratt b. ca 1756 d. 5-22-1858 m. Cadon Gantt b. 4-15-1771 d. 12-2-1848 no issue.

B-2. William Pratt, Jr. d. in Ky. leaving 9 children, among whom: C-1 Susanna Pratt m. Tyra Gantt, brother of Cadon Gantt.

B-3. Mary (Mollie) Pratt b. ca 1763 d. 1829 m. ca 1782 Josiah Burton b. ca 1758 d. 1829. 9 children.

C-1 Robert b. 1783 m. Sarah _____.

C-2 Sarah Burton b. 1786 m. Winston Hall, d. Aug. 30, 1836.

C-3 Wm. Burton b. 1790 m. Elizabeth _____ d. 1857.

C-4 Caleb Burton b. 1792 m. Dicey Smith d. April 14, 1860.

C-5 John Burton b. 1796 m. Elizabeth Prewitt-Pruitt d. 1883 in Walker County, Ala.

C-6 Josiah Burton, Jr. b. _____ m. Sally Osborne dau. of John Osborne.

C-7 Elizabeth Burton b. 1797 m. Samuel Black both died in Walker County, Alabama.

C-8 Peter S. Burton b. 1801 m. Harriet Martha McGee.

C-9 Mary "Polly" Burton b. Sept. 29, 1810 m. Joshua Ashley d. Oct. 10, 1886.

B-4. David Pratt m. perhaps a dau. of Austin Smith and had a dtr: C-1 Almira Pratt.

B-5. Joseph Pratt b. 1-1-1768 d. 4-7-1826 m. 4-15-1793 Elizabeth Jones (dtr. of Sarah Britain & perhaps Thomas Jones) b. 3-16-1770 d. 11-10-1860. Children:

C-1 Emma Pratt b. 2-1-1794 d. 4-30-1869 m. 3-1-1812 Samuel Young lived in Georgia.

C-2 Sarah Pratt b. 2-18-1796 d. 1-22-1866 m. 1-29-1815 Wm. Young lived in Abbeville Dist., S.C.

C-3 William Pratt b. 9-27-1798 d. 1-26-1863 m. 12-31-1823 Martha, dtr. of James Murdock. b. 7-21-1837. 8 children.

C-4 Thomas Pratt b. 12-13-1800 dsp. 4-13-1826.

C-5 Joseph Pratt, Jr. b. 2-24-1803 dsp. 4-22-1826.

C-6 Elizabeth Pratt b. 11-15-1806 m. 11-26-1826 John McConnell who d. ca 1834. 4 children.

C-7 Mary Pratt b. 8-20-1809 d. 6-13-1816.

C-8 John Pratt b. 8-20-1812 d. 6-24-1849 m. 2-16-1832 Nancy Norris Harkness (dtr. of John Harkness & Nancy Norris) b. 2-17-1814 d. 10-17-1872. chn:

D-1 Phalla Minerva Pratt b. 5-17-1833 d. 2-3-1887 m. 11-26-1856 P. Nobel Bell b. 5-26-1823 d. 3-9-1901. Several chn.

D-2 Thomas Rufus Pratt b. 5-10-1835 d. 2-25-1879 m. 11-16-1858 Letha Louisa Kay (dtr. of Francis Marion Kay & Rebecca Caroline Manning) b. 6-4-1840 d. 4-16-1924, chn:

E-1 Nancy Rebecca Pratt b. 10-15-1859 d. 12-11-1947 m. 3-25-1880.

James Wm. Elam (son of Benjamin Franklin Elam & Angelina Moore) b. 4-25-1856 d. 9-28-1895, chn:

F-1 Harry Elam 2nd child, died as an infant.

F-2 Annie May Elam b. 5-31-1881 m. 12-5-1897 Millard F. Horton (son of Rev. Thomas Horton & Martha Catherine Stewart) b. 6-4-1865 d. 3-4-1930. chn:

G-1 Violet Emily Horton b. 1-26-1899 m. 1st Charles D. Keith m. 2nd Kenneth M. Rau.

G-2 Harold E. Horton b. 2-17-1902 m. 1st Evelyn Lorine Jones m. 2nd Kay Moore. 2 dtrs.

G-3 Marion A. Horton b. 9-15-1903 m. 9-25-1941 Edward H. Shook b. 1-7-1889 d. 9-8-1957. No issue.

G-4 Vernon Eugene Horton b. 1906 d. 1911.

G-5 Dorothy V. Horton b. 6-3-1910 m. 6-20-1933 Gerald C. McNabb - 2 sons.

G-6 Leatha Lucille Horton b. 1912 d. 1913.

G-7 Millard F. Horton Jr. b. 8-5-1914 m. 10-28-1938 Edna M. Raley b. Feb. 1914. Chn:

H-1 Sharon Kay Horton b. 7-25-1940 m. 5-18-1959 Charles Barnes Cannon. Son:

I-1 Charles Barnes Cannon, Jr. b. 4-6-1960

H-2 Linda Carol Horton b. 5-17-1947.

H-3 Millard Michael Horton b. 7-14-1950.

H-4 Harold Edward Horton b. 5-6-1956/ Twins

H-5 Marion Elaine Horton b. 5-6-1956/

DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM PRATT, CONTD.

E-2 Mary Cornelia Pratt b. 7-12-1868 d. 5-24-1946 m. 12-28-1885 Jefferson Davis Burton b. 6-25-1861 d. 5-31-1932. 8 chn.

E-3 John R. Pratt b. 11-6-1870 d. at birth.

E-4 Eulah Lee Pratt b. 11-17-1872 d. 12-22-1944 m. 9-7-1890 Thomas F. Collins d. 10-19-1902. 2 children.

E-5 Rosa Haseltine Pratt b. 5-18-1875 d. 5-31-1923 m. 10-11-1894 Wood Durett b. 11-26-1871 d. ca 1951. 3 children.

D-3 Permelia Haseltine Pratt b. 6-23-1838 d. 10-23-1896 m. ca 1888 P. Noble Bell b. 5-26-1823 d. 3-9-1901. No. issue.

D-4 Stephen Langdon Pratt b. 10-26-1840 dsp. 6-5-1862, Confed. War Soldier.

D-5 Eliza Mary Cornelia Pratt b. 2-25-1843 d. 6-16-1857.

D-6 Joseph John Harkness Pratt b. 2-1-1845 d. 2-1881 m. Martha Adeline Elam. 5 children.

D-7 Robert M. Pratt b. 10-3-1847 d. 12-20-1913 m. 1st 10-3-1867 Jane A. Bowen m. 2nd Margaret Rebecca McAlester b. 5-6-1857 d. 2-18-1915. 3 children.

D-8 Wm. A. Pratt b. 3-1-1849 d. 4-29-1910 m. 12-1886 Fanny Callahan - several children.

C-9 Nancy Pratt b. 7-20-1820 d. 4-1-1826.

C-10 Caroline E. Wood (niece and adopted dtr. of Joseph Pratt) b. ca 1809 d. 4-8-1867 m. 2-5-1829 Thomas Crawford b. 1-3-1806 d. 6-11-1865.

B-6 James Pratt b. 3-31-1788 d. 9-14-1828 m. Sarah (?Lindsay) b. 11-26-1790 d. 4-25-1840. 8 children.

(This record on the descendants of Wm. Pratt sent by Mrs. Edward Shook, Dallas, Texas, except the chn. of Mary "Molly" (Pratt) and Josiah Burton.)

Mrs. Shook very active in church and club work. Interested in genealogical research. Member of the Colonial Dames Chapter Dallas, Texas.

Peter Gauntt b. 1610-d. 1691-Sandwich, Mass. We have no record where born-probably the immigrant Gauntt ancestor.

Ch: 1. Isarel Gauntt lived at Shrewsbury. 2. Hainault Gauntt b. 1632-d. 1700. Went to Long Island from Shrewsbury. (see later) 3. Daniel Gauntt b. 1634 resided at Egg Harbor. 4. Zachario and Lydia Gauntt. (no other record.)

Zebulon Gauntt, son of Hainault, was b. 1685-d. 1760. His son Isarel Gauntt II b. 1720 went to Newberry, S.C.

Ch: 1.*James, 2. Joseph, 3. Jacob Gaunt.

*James Gaunt m. Elizabeth Mills. Find record of two sons 1. William 2. and Isarel Gaunt.

1. William Gaunt-Gantt m. _____ (see will P. 41-his son Cador m. Sarah Pratt, dau. of Wm. Pratt and wife Emma Haze or Hays. (see will & Est. Adm. P. 41-46. 2. Isarel Gaunt m. Martha French. Their daughter Elizabeth Gantt m. Russell Ravonell Gantt, her cousin.

Joseph Gaunt, son of Isarel Gauntt II m. Elizabeth Bolton. Their son Elija Gantt m. Elizabeth Gunter. Their son Russell Ravonell Gantt m. Elizabeth Gantt, daughter of Isarel Gaunt and wife Martha French. (a cousin)

Pollard Gantt, (son of Russell Ravonell Gantt and wife Elizabeth) married Emma Oline Peacock - a son Mr. Robert (Bob) Gantt, a prominent business man Andalusia, Ala. has done much research on the Gauntt-Gantt family.

The name Gauntt has several different forms of spelling, Gauntt has been a favorite first name in the descendants of Elizabeth Gauntt and Jacob Lawler-Lollar. Elizabeth a dau. of William son of James Gaunt and wife Elizabeth Mills.

Gantt-Gauntt data

Compiled by G. L. Sumner Newberry, S.C. sent by Mr. Robert Gantt, Andalusia, Ala.

Newberry Court House - file 28-2981.

Mrs. Rebecca Mills died about 1806. Adm. granted 1807 to Major Fredrick Gray.

Ch: Robert, William, Charity Downs and Elizabeth Gauntt.

Abbeville Court House Box 39-847 - Dr. Benj. Gantt decd. Will 3-17-1803, proved 5-16-1805 (Dr. Gantt of Petersburg, Ga.) wife Fanny.

Ch: Eveline, my natural daughter by Hetty Syerns.

Bros: Daniel Gantt, Charles Gantt, Richard Gantt, Nephew: Robson Newburn.

S.C. University Lib. from Engr. Am. Quaker Gen."
V1 - Bush River monthly meeting in Newberry, Cane
Creek m m in union dist. and Camden Dist. m m P.
1019. Mary Gauntt, wife of Zebulon Gauntt, and
former wife of John Kelly died 5-9-1782 - aged 47
years. P. 1030 - Zebulon Gauntt, late of Camden
dist. married Mary Kelly in 1780. Samuel, son of
Zebulon Gauntt, married Abigail Kelly, 1785. Zimri
son of Zebulon Gauntt of Newberry dist. married 1785
to Sarah Cooper.

Nebo Gauntt married Elizabeth Brooks, 1790.

Nebo, son of Zebulon m. 1802 to Judith Wright.

Karren-Hoppock Gauntt, dau. of Samuel Gauntt m. Rob-
ert Evans, 1805.

Nebo Gauntt and family got Miami m m, in Ohio 3-30-1805.

Samuel Gauntt of Newberry Dist. m. Susannah Julion
7-11-1807.

Richland Co. Lib. from "Historic Camden," P. 67-
Nebo Gauntt, Quaker received grant from James Cusley,
who was given this grant in 1733, in Camden Dist.,
S.C. P. 74 - a colony of Quakers came in 1751 and
settled on Wateree River in Camden Dist., among them
being Nebo Gauntt, Zebulon Gauntt and Zimri Gauntt.
P. 77 - Nebo Gauntt was owner of "Gauntt's Ferry,"
and his conveyance he referred to as a Millwright.
P. 183 - record of Turkey Creek Church on Saluda
River, Elizabeth Gauntt is named as a member (1785-1804).
P.190 - William Gauntt in 1792 is named as a messenger
to the association for Little River Church. When they
decided to build a meeting house near Reedy River, at
Poplar Springs, in Laurens Dist. Cadar Gauntt named as
a messenger 1797-1798.

Newberry Court House - Deed E - 126, Nebo Gauntt,
Millwright, conveyed to John Dobbins 96 acres on Bush
River, being part of Darnon Hanson's lands to him
1778. Basement file A-38-Jacob Gauntt, Jr., son of
Joseph Gauntt, died, 1-25-1818, that said Joseph left
250 acres bounded by lands of Samuel Gauntt, Jacob
Gauntt, John Morgan, Joel Smith, and Gasper Piester.
Left widow, Bethsheba Gauntt who since married to
Benj. Stubbs.

Ch: Jacob, Iseral, Walter, Elizabeth, Eli, Elijah,
Joseph M., Elisha, John, Samuel and Cary Gauntt.
(last eight named being under 21 years old.)



Basement file A-58 judgment for partition - lands-1825. James Gauntt, decd. left widow Elizabeth, and ch: Henry, Zebulon, Iseral, Dorothy, Hiram, Rachel, Polly, William and James Gauntt, Jr. (Polly, Hiram, Rachel and Dorothy under 21 years old.)

Newberry Court House - file 8-17-180. Iseral Gauntt, decd. Will 12-25-1798; proved 3-24-1800. Widow Hannah Gauntt (she had a dau. Susannah Coate by her first husband).

Ch: James, Joseph, Jacob, Hannah Mooney, Rebecca Gilbert, Mary Coate.

Annals of Newberry P. 459

"Women of Newberry during the War"

"James Gauntt, who was long a worthy citizen of Newberry and who died on the 21st day of Jan. 1890, at the advanced age of 89 years, was a grandson of Iseral Gauntt mentioned in the Narrative". See below narrative referred to...

Extract from Ellets "Women of the American Revolution" Vol. 2. P. 298

A man named Hubbs served with the bloody tory and renegade Cunningham in South Carolina, was an "out-lier" during the war. He took two confederates and rode up to the house of Iseral Gauntt, a Quaker, who was reputed to be in possession of money. They were refused admission into the house. Hubbs rode to the kitchen door in which Mrs. Gauntt was standing and asked for water. He sprang in while she turned to get the water, and as she handed it to him she saw his arms. Her husband informed of this secured the doors. Hubbs presented his pistol at him; but his deadly purpose was frustrated by the old man's daughter, Hannah. She threw up the weapon, and being of masculine proportions and strength, grappled with and threw him to floor, where she held him, though wounded by his spur-inspite of his deadly struggles-'til he was disabled by her father's blows. Gauntt was wounded through the window by Hubb's companions, and another ball grazed his heroic daughter just above the eye; but both escaped without other injurys.

Hannah afterward married a man named Mooney. The Gentleman (Judge C'Neal) who relates the foregoing incident has often seen her, and describes her as one of the kindest and most benevolent of women. She died about the age of 50 and her grandson, a worthy and excellent man, is now living in the Village of Newberry. (from Sou. Literary Journal, 1838).

WILL OF WILLIAM GANTT BOX 40 PACK. 876
PROBATE JUDGES OFFICE, ABBEVILLE, S.C.

In the name of God Amen. I William Gant of the District of Abbeville and State of S.C. being weak in body but of sound mind and memory calling to mind the frailty of the body and that it is appointed for all men once to die, do constitute and ordain this my last will and Testament Viz. In the first place I will my soul to God who gave it and my body to the Dust as my executors may think decent and I will and bequeath to my Son in Law Jacob Loller my plantation whereon I now live and I also allow Jacob Loller to have the half of my Meat and I appoint my two Sons Frederic and Cador Executors to my Estate to sell all my personal property and there with pay all my just debts and the balance I will and bequeath to my children in the following Manner viz. If my estate amounts to Three hundred and fifty six Dollars after my debts are paid I give and bequeath fifty six dollars to my son, Frederic and fifty six dollars to my son Cador and fifty six dollars to my son Brittian and fifty six dollars to my son John and fifty six dollars to my dau. Levina and twenty eight dollars to my dau. Sally and twenty eight dollars to my dau. Nancy and ten dollars to my dau. Aimy and ten dollars to my son Tyre, The two last mentioned son & dau. I allow to have no more but if my estate amounts to more than three hundred and fifty six dollars I allow it to be divided proportionally between the seven above mentioned children. In testimony of this my last will and Testament I have here unto set my hand and seal this first day of May in the year Eighteen hundred and nine Witness Present:

William Shirley

William Gant

William Burton

James P. Cooner

Will recorded May 15, 1809.

The estate was appraised May 23, 1809 by William Burton,
Andrew Jones, Stephen Durrum.

CADOR GANTT b. April 15, 1771 in N.C. d. Dec. 2, 1848. He was the son of William Gantt, Cador Gantt m. Sarah Pratt, dau. of Wm. and Emma (Haze) Pratt. She was b. 1756 in S.C. d. May 22, 1858, at the age of 102 years, both buried in the Little River Baptist Church Cemetery; they never had any children.

WILL OF CADOR GANTT

In the name of God Amen.

I, Cador Gantt, of the District of Abbeville and the state of South Carolina being advanced in age and growing weak in body though of a sound and disposing mind and calling to remembrance the uncertainty of death, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form as follows:

The first of these is the fact that the human race is not a homogeneous mass, but is divided into many distinct groups, each with its own characteristics. These groups are known as races, and they are distinguished from one another by their physical and mental qualities. The second fact is that the human race has a long history, and that its development has been a continuous process. The third fact is that the human race is a social animal, and that its life is lived in communities. These three facts are the basis of the study of anthropology, and they are the foundation of the science of man.

The study of anthropology is a branch of science which deals with the human race. It is a science which seeks to understand the human mind and body, and the way in which they are affected by their environment. It is a science which seeks to understand the human race in all its diversity, and to discover the laws which govern its development. The study of anthropology is a science which is of great importance to the human race, and it is a science which is of great interest to all who are concerned with the human mind and body.

To my beloved wife, Sarah Gantt, I give all my real and personal estate together with all my other property of every description except such property as the executors hereinafter to be named with the consent of my above named wife shall think proper to dispose of after my decease and also such other property as may be necessary to pay all my just debts during her natural life. After the decease of my beloved wife Sarah Gantt, my executor hereafter to be named will proceed to sell all my lands together with one negro woman Phillis, to be hereinafter disposed of on such terms and conditions as to him shall seem best of all concerned and with the proceeds of such sale, apply as hereinafter directed. In the 1st place, I give to the Estate of the following named relations to them their heirs or assigns the sum of two dollars viz. Joseph Pratt, Wm. Pratt, Josiah Burton, Tyre Gantt, James Pratt, David Pratt, Jacob Lollar, Nate Perkins, Richard Alexander, Sampson Gantt, to each and every one of them their heirs or assigns, I give the above sum and no more.

I give to Cadon Gantt Milford (mine son of Mary Milford) the sum of one hundred dollars and also to Gantt Wright (mine son of John L. Wright the sum of one hundred dollars.)

I wish my negro woman Phillis to be left as free as the laws of the country will admit and to have the sum of fifty dollars, and a guardian to be appointed by my executor for her government.

After paying all necessary expenses I give the balance of the proceeds of my property for the use of the Bible Society.

Lastly I constitute and appoint my friend A.G. Latimer, my executor of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of Aug. A.D. 1846 signed sealed and delivered in the presence of us who at his request have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto by Cadon Gantt as his last will and Testament.

Wm. S. Hampton
Geo. W. Nelson
John Milford

Cadon Gantt

SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT)

IN EQUITY

Bill for Direction, Advice and Relief, etc.

Thomas Crawford, admin-
ister with the will an-
nexed of Cader Gant, decd. }

vs

Cynthia Wakefield, et al)

Persuant to the order of this Court, the following are made parties, defendants, to this bill, additional to those set forth in the original bill on the 8th of March 1860 on the next of kin of Sarah Gantt decd., to wit: Caleb Burton, residing in Abbeville District, John Burton, supposed to reside in Ala., Peter Burton residing out of the state, Mary Ashley, wife of John (sic) Ashley, reside in Abbeville District, children of Mary Burton, dec'd. who was a sister of said Sarah Gant, dec'd. Amy Young, wife of Samuel Young reside in the state of Ga. Sarah Young, wife of Wm. Young reside in Abbeville Dist. Wm. Pratt, reside in Abbeville Dist. Elizabeth McConnell, wife of John McConnell, decd. reside in Abbeville Dist., children of Joseph Pratt, decd. If there be others - next of kin of the said Sarah Gantt, decd., whose names to your orator are at present unknown which is possibly the case, your orator prays that when ascertained, they may be made parties, defendants to this Bill.

Your orator further sheweth unto your Honors that these defendants, the next of kin of the said Sarah Gantt, dec'd. claim the legacy in question which was ___ in the will "to the Bible Society;" and he prays that they may be required to answer to the allegations of the said bill, severally, upon their corporal oaths, as the defendants named in the original Bill are required to answer, and further to abide such order -- in the premises as to your Honors may ____, etc.

And your orators will every pray, etc.

JONES & JONES, Sols. for Compts.

With the exception of the word left blank, I certify that the above is a true and correct copy.

B.S. Mitchell.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this
13th day of May, 1960

Luther L. Ashley.

GANTT

ANOTHER DOCUMENT FILED WITH THE WILL OF CADOR GANTT, ENTITLED
BROTHER AND SISTERS OF CADOR GANTT

1. Giles Gantt d. in S.C. leaving children, names unknown, are residing out of this state.
2. John Gantt d. in N.C. leaving children.
3. Frederick Gantt d. in S.C. leaving children to wit: Cynthia Wakefield, wife of Hezekiah Wakefield decd. this dist., John Gantt in Anderson District.
4. Tira Gantt moved to Ind. d. leaving children to wit: Calvin, Newton, James, Crowther, Wm. Martha, and Sarah, perhaps he left other children.
5. Britton moved to Ind. and d. leaving children, whose names are unknown.

SISTERS:

1. Abigail, wife of Lenard Saylors dead, left at least two children, Tabitha and Nancy.
2. Sarah Perkins, wife of Uty? d. in Ala., leaving children names unknown.
3. Elizabeth, wife of Jacob Lolar (note by P.Y. that this seems to be the spelling rather than Lolar (Lollar) but not positive which is correct) d. in Ala., leaving children: Hugh, Wm. Elizabeth, Martha, Sarah and Mary.
4. Amey, wife of Lenard Saylors moved to Tenn., died leaving children names unknown.
5. Nancy, wife of Wm. Alexander (note by P.Y. to the effect that in another place the name was Richard Alexander) probably an error of the Ordinary) moved to Tenn., leaving children names unknown.
6. Viney Townley, wife of John Townley, moved out of the state, dead, leaving children, names unknown.

All the husbands are dead.

ON THE BACK OF THE ABOVE SHEET WAS THE FOLLOWING --

Sister and Brothers of Mrs. Gantt, wife of Cador Gantt.

1. Mary Burton, wife of Josiah Burton d. leaving Caleb Burton of this dist. and John Burton supposed to be living in Ala. and Peter Burton now out of the state, Mary, who m. Joshua Ashley living in this state.
2. Joseph Pratt, who d. leaving five children: Amy Young, reside in Ga. Sarah Young, reside in this dist. Wm. Pratt resides in this dist. Elizabeth McConnell resides in this dist.
3. William Pratt d. leaving nine children in Ky. viz: Susannah who m. Tira Gantt, brother of intestate, on opposite page.

ESTATE OF CADOR GANTT

Know all men by these presents, that we, Thomas Crawford, Jno. Pratt and A.C. Hawthorne are holden and firmly bound

unto David Lesly, Esq., Ordinary for the District of Abbeville, in the full sum of sixteen hundred dollars to be paid to the said David Lesly, his successors, ordinaries for this District or their certain attorney or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, and everyone of us, our and every one of our heirs, executors and administrators for the whole and in the whole jointly and severally firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated twelfth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty nine and in the twenty fourth year of American Independence signed sealed and delivered in the presence of:

Thomas Crawford (LS.)

John Pratt (L.S.)

A.C. Hawthorne (L.S.)

A true copy, Marion J. Erwin, Judge of Probate, Abbeville, S.C.
April 30, 1959.

Terms of the present sale:

The highest bidder to be the purchaser all sums of ten dollars and over a credit of twelve months with interest from date, the purchasers to give note and approved security all sums under ten dollars cash. No property to be removed until the above terms are complied with.

Thomas Crawford, Administrator
With "Will" Annexed.

Nov. 18th, 1858

I do hereby certify the above terms was published at commencement of sale and then posted up, during the sale.

John Pratt, Clerk.

A true copy by Marion J. Erwin, Judge of Probate, Abbeville, S.C., April 30th, 1959.

Sale of the Goods of Cador Gantt, deceased names of the buyers:

Elzie Robinson, O. Shirley, W.N. Hopkins, I. Robinson, J.R. Wilson, I. Aleywine, John Calaham, S.J. Calaham, B. Netts, J.M. Carwile, B. Netts, J.M. Carwile, B. Calaham, H. Robinson, J.M. Robinson, J.M. Hopkins, Thos Davis, Jesse Robinson, J. Pearman, J.M. Carwile, Col. Haney, J.L. Calaham, J.M.G. Branyon, Geo. Rickets, J.F. Branyon, Thos Davis, S.J. Calaham, Y.F. Branyon, J.B. McWhertor, J.F. Burton, B. Low, O. Shirley, J.M. Carwile, John Hay, S. Latimer, John Pratt bought a dictionary, J.R. Wilson. Col. Haney. B. Netts. Wm. Fisher, Wm. Burton, W. Armstrong, John Calaham, Wm. Burton, R. Ashley, Jas. Murdock, B. Netts, J. Pratt, J. Bryant, W. Duncan, W. Duncan, B. Netts. W. Duncan-one bushel salt. (I do certify this to be a true bill of sale of the part of the personel estate'articles bought by each was named and price paid' of Cador Gantt, deceased that was sold Jan. 17, 1849. H. Robinson, Clerk

CADOR GANT

"Elder Cadon Gant, son of William Gant, was born in North Carolina, April 15, 1771. He subsequently removed to South Carolina and settled in Abbeville County, where in early manhood, he united with the Little River Church (Baptist). In a short time he was ordained to the office of deacon. He was licensed to preach in February, 1834, which was followed by his ordination to the gospel ministry on May 27, 1836, the presbytery consisting of Elders, A. Williams, B. Burton, R. Gaines, Abner Fant and Kay.

Brother Gant never did a great deal of pastoral work, the greater part of his life being spent in itinerant preaching. He was, however, pastor of Rocky River Church for a short period. He was an active church worker, one in whom his brethren had the utmost confidence and he was almost invariably called on to aid in the adjustment of difficulties in the churches throughout the Association. His affable spirit, his tender and affectionate disposition eminently fitted him for the office of conciliator. He entertained broad and liberal views of the gospel, and was a warm friend and earnest supporter of the mission cause, and a life-member of the American Bible Society.

He died December 2, 1848. His wife was Miss Sarah Pratt, daughter of William Pratt, who survived him several years, reaching the advanced age of 102 years.

The above is the verbatim sketch of Cadon Gantt as taken from the History of the Saluda Baptist Association compiled by T.H. Garrett at the request of the Association and published in Richmond, Virginia in 1896 by B.F. Johnson Publishing Company.

The Elder Kay mentioned in the first paragraph was evidently either William or James Kay, both brothers of my second gr. grandmother. Each had sketches in the aforesaid volume.

B. Burton was Blackman Burton, a sketch of whom also appears. He was of the Burton Line connected with Goss Burton, a descendant of Mary Burton and Joshua Ashley.

The proof that Josiah Burtons wife Mary "Molly" was a daughter of Wm. Pratt and Emma (Haze) has been established beyond any doubt in the "Will" documents-attached and the History of the Saluda Baptist Association.

LAWLER LOLLAR

EXPLANATION AND DESCRIPTION OF THE FAMILY COAT OF ARMS

Arms—A chev. between three leopard's faces az.

Crest--On a dexter hand couped in fesse a falcon rising ppr.

Explanation and Description of the Above symbols.

Chev or chevron, signifies protection and has often been granted in arms as a reward for some noble enterprise. It is supposed to represent the roof tree of a house and has sometimes been given to those who have built churches and fortresses, or who have accomplished some work of faithful services.

Leopard is said to represent a hardy and valiant warrior who attempts hazardous things by force and courage. Leopard's heads only are generally borne in British heraldry, but the animal itself is sometimes borne as a supporter.

Az., azure or blue signifies loyalty and truth. It was the color de-voted to the Virgin by the Roman Church.

Dexter signifies right.

Fesse or band worn in the center of the shield is the military belt or girdle of honor.

Falcon, a bird of prey, and a symbol of power.

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ORIGIN OF NAME LA'LER**LALOR**LALLER**LA'LOR**LOLLAR.

The origin of the name Lawler or Lollar is said to be derived from the abbreviation of two words, Law lord, a peer in the British Parliament who sits upon cases appealed to the House of Lords. Lawler is an Irish surname probably the same as Lollar which formerly was O'Lalor. The name is of ancient Irish extraction. The spelling of the name in time changed to conform to the pronunciation. Thus, we have the froms Lawler, Lawlor, and Lollar. The Lawlor Family is descended

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from Milesius, King of Spain, through the line of his fifth son Ir, and belonged to the Clanna Rory tribe, founded by Heber Doun, son of Ir. The founder of the O'Lawler Family was the famous Warrior Conal Kearnach, son of Amergin, who was the fourth degree from Rory O'More, the race of Ir, and who gave his name to the tribe in Ulster, B.C. 87. The ancient name was Lalach, signifying "The Giant". The possessions of the clan or sept were located in the Counties of Down and Queens. The O'Lawlers, in Irish Leathlabir, took their name from Leathlabher, Prince of Dalaradia, or Ulidia (now the Co. of Down) in 10th cen. who was their ancestor. In ancient times they had extensive possessions in Laix, in the Barony of Stradbally, Queens Co. Bec Va Leathlobhair-O'Lalor-Lord of Dalaraidhe, who died in the year 904, was one of the most renowned Irish Princes of his age. Another family of this name and also of this race was seated at Dysart-Enos in the present Queens. Major-Gen. O'Lalor of the Spanish service, Honorary Companion of the order of the Bath, and Patrick Lalor, Esq. ex-member of Parliament of Tinnakill, Queens Co. Are given by Dr. O'Donovan as belonging to this latter family. There have been many distinguished members of both branches of this family, both previous and subsequent to the Anglo-Norman invasion. On the occasion of the infamous massacre of Mullaghmast, in the year 1577, when some hundreds of the most peaceable of the Irish gentry were invited on the public faith and under the protection of the Govt. and then ruthlessly slaughtered by their hosts, the O'Lalors were one of the families invited to the extermination. The few who survived owed their escape to one Harry Lalor, as he was entering the fort saw the bodies of his companions, and drawing his sword fought his way back to those that survived, with whom he made his escape to Dysart. Those murdered on that day were some of the seven septs of Leix and some gentlemen of the Keatings. The seven septs of Leix were the O'Lalors, the O'Mores, the O'Kelleys, the Devoys, the Macabays, the O'Dorans and the O'Dowlings. Dionysius Lalor of Ballymoney, was a member of this family. His name was signed to the new form of oath of the Confed. Catholics.

THE LOLLAR FAMILY

Jacob Lawler-Lollar was b. in Burks Co., N.C. ca. 1755, served in the Re. War from Burk's Co. m. Elizabeth Gantt b. ca. 1762 in N.C. She was the dau. of Wm. Gantt of N.C. later in S.C. In the "will" of Wm. Gant made 1809, Abbeville Dist. He mentions son-in-law, Jacob Lollar. Cadon Gant Abbeville Dist. In his "will" made Aug. 3, 1846, son of Wm. Gantt, left the estate of relatives the sum of two dollars (probably to make his will binding since he and his wife Sarah Pratt had no issue.)

Jacob Lollar was living in Walker Co., Ala. in 1830 and 1837 when he made an application for a pension for service in the Rev. War, (not living in 1840,) The name of Jacob Lollar's wife and children from a document filed with the will of Cador Gantt, namely Elizabeth wife of Jacob Lollar, their ch: Hugh, Wm., Elizabeth, Martha, Sarah and Mary.

PENSION APPLICATION, JACOB LAWLER (LOLLAR) P. 6190, Walker Co., Ala. Circuit Court Term 1837.

On this day of 11-1837 appeared Jacob Lawler a resident of said Co. and state. aged ____ yrs. said he volunteered in Burks Co., N.C. some time in the fall ____ under Capt. Francis McKeshle? Col. McDowell, marched to Cawbawba River, later marched back near his home and was dismissed later was drafted, but he hired a substitute to take his place for this turn. As well as he recollects, next spring he again volunteered under Capt. Davidson, Burks Co., N.C. named Col. Nicholas Boshell & James P. Cooner testified for him.

Answers to interrogation:

1. I was b. in state of N.C. year I do not know.
2. I have no record of my age.
3. I was living in Burks Co. when called in to service since that time I have lived in S.C. now in Ala.
4. Each tour that I served I volunteered although I was once drafted, but a substitute.
5. I was not acquainted with many of the officers, such as I recollect were: Col. Samuel McKisick, Col. Geo. Davidson, Col. McDowell.
6. I did not receive a discharge for either time I was dismissed. Jacob X Lawler.

Pension rejected because he did not serve 6 months in a regularly organized corps. (see 1790 census Pendleton, S.C. see Wills of Wm. and Cador Gantt, see 1830 census, Walker Co.)

The descendants of Jacob Lollar and wife Elizabeth Gantt were leaders in the county, held many offices of trust, namely, Sheriff, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Postmaster, and County Commissioner ect. Hugh Lollar, Sr. is credited with having named Jasper for Sgt. Jasper,

Anyone knowing the burial place of Jacob Lollar - Rev. Soldier contact the Major Thomas Hubbard D.A. R. Chapter, Jasper, Ala.

HUGH LOLLAR, SR.

Son of Jacob Lollar and Elizabeth (Gantt), dau. of Wm. Gantt of N.C. He was b. in N.C. ca. 1785, came to Walker Co., first record found. He entered land in Section 34, Township 14, Range 8 on Lost Creek on Jan. 15, 1822. He was living in Walker Co. in 1830, removed to Tuscaloosa Co., Ala. (Two of his sons were Hugh Lollar, Jr. and John A. Lollar, who married Susan Gillen.)

From Walker Co. Tract Record.

Owens', Alabama, Vol IV, p. 1062, Northern Ala., p. 177.

Hugh Lollar, Sr. was married before coming to Ala. Name of his first wife not known. Besides the two known sons he had a daughter Sarah b. 1801 (see later).

In 1850 Hugh Lollar was living in Tuscaloosa County, age 61, with his wife (second) Catherine-age forty-two who was born in Tenn. Children:

David J. Lollar b. 1835 in Ala. (see later)

Martha J. Lollar b. 1836 in Ala.

Seaborn L. Lollar b. 1838 in Ala.

Wiley T. Lollar b. 1842 in Ala. died in Miss.

Margaret V. Lollar b. 1845 in Ala.

(Tuscaloosa Co. Orphans Court Book 1, p. 74: Hugh Lollar, guardian for his children, Hugh G. Lollar (over 14), Wm. R. and Euphemia Lollar (under 14).

Sarah Lollar, dau. of Hugh Lollar was b. Jan. 20, 1801 and died June 30, 1886 buried in Zion Cemetery near Parrish, Ala. m. David Garrison (a descendant of Stephen Garrison) b. 1764, who served in the Rev. War as a private in the regular N.C. line. Taken from U.S. Census of Pensioners June 1, 1840, Garrison Family Records, Walker Co. History by Dombhart.

JOHN A. LOLLAR

Son of Hugh Lollar, Sr. and 1st wife _____, was b. Jan. 10, 1810 in S.C. and brought to Walker Co. in 1822 or probably earlier. He was a farmer lived on Lost Creek near Providence. He died on May 11, 1888. He was married to Susan Gillon b. 1811 in Tenn. and d. 1-4-1874, both buried in Providence Cemetery. Their children:

Hugh Lollar b. 1830 (see later).

Isaac Lollar b. 1832.

Charlotte Lollar b. 1834.

John Berry Lollar b. 1836 (see later).

Feba Lollar b. in 1838

Richard Lollar b. 1839.

Franklin Lollar b. 1841 (see later).

Margaret Lollar b. 1843 (see later).

Newton Lollar b. 1844.

Susan Lollar b. 1847.

HUGH GAUNT LOLLAR

Son of John A. and Susan (Gillen) Lollar was b. 1829. He was a merchant also sheriff of Walker Co., before the Civil War, served in the Civil War and was killed in action in the battle of Resaca, Ga. on May 14, 1864. He married Sarah Catherine Leith Nov. 3, 1854. She was b. May 6, 1829, dau. of George and Elizabeth (Branner) Leith, granddaughter of Ebenezer Leith, a Baptist Minister of Jefferson Co., Tenn., who fought with John Roper's Company of East Tenn. volunteers during 1813-1814 and of Michael Branner and Christina (Arey) Branner, natives of Va., who settled near Dandridge, Tenn. about 1800, great granddaughter of Carl and Catherine Branner,

German immigrants who settled in the Shenandoah Valley of Va., near Staunton, about 1750. The children of Hugh Gaunt and Sarah Catherine (Leith) Lollar were:

Cicero Lollar who m. Lizzie Cornett and moved to Texas.

Sebastian Napoleon Lollar, Zephronia Elizabeth Lollar who m. William Oliver and moved to Miss., Lucius R. Lollar.
(Genealogy of the Branner Family, Walker Co. History by Dombhart.

JOHN BERRY LOLLAR

Son of John A. and Susan (Gillen) Lollar, was born near Providence on 11-30-1835, Reared on the farm. In Sept. 1862 he enlisted as second Lt. of Co. G. Fifty-sixth Ala. Cavalry, under Capt. Shepherd. Returning to his home after the war, Mr. Lollar farmed on a large scale; he was elected Sheriff of the county, in 1880 was elected tax collector, in 1885 he was appointed Clerk of Circuit court. Mr. Lollar d. on Aug. 29, 1914 and is buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery at Jasper.

In 1857 he was married to Elizabeth Taylor, dau. of Issac Taylor, of Poplar Cove; she was b. 2-11-1835, d. 3-10-1915.
Children:

Wm. R. Lollar, Issac Lollar, Andrew Lollar, Joseph Lollar, Margaret Elenor Lollar m. Judge Thomas L. Sewell, Fannie E. Lollar m. G. W. McFall.

Meta J. Lollar m. James M. Cranford.

Queen Victoria Lollar m. James Albert O'Rear, their ch:

1. Mary Clare O'Rear m. Joseph Burton Stephenson their ch:

Sarah Stephenson m. Clarence Westbrooks

Marjorie Stephenson m. Col. Ivy Drewry

Victoria Stephenson single

Mary Clare Stephenson m. Howard Denson, Jr.

Joseph Burton Stephenson, Jr. m. Lynnette Boshell, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Boshell.

Jimmie Jane Stephenson m. Charles Root

Joe Abb Lollar, son of John A. Lollar. He was b. 1856. His youngest son is L.A. Lollar of Holy Springs, Miss.

2. Elizabeth Lucille O'Rear m. Robert Grady Kilgore. Children: Robert Grady Kilgore, Jr. m. Olive Ann Long; they had a dau., Dana. Mr. Kilgore graduate of U. of A. was one of Jasper's prominent young attorneys, now decd.

Winnifred Kilgore m. Samuel Smodon

Lucille Kilgore m. Hal Coons, Jr.

James M. Kilgore m. Nina Owens

3. Ezra Coleman O'Rear

4. John B. O'Rear

(This record of John B. by Mrs. Joseph Burton Stephenson)
Franklin Lollar

Son of John A. Lollar and wife Susan (Gillon) m. 1st to

Walton m. 2nd Ellen Gwin; they had two children:

Erastus Lollar b. 2-10-1870 d. 7-21-1903 buried in Providence Cemetery; was married to Sarah L. Grace, dau. of James T. and Emily (Odom) Grace.

Susan Lollar m. Reason Davidson.

Franklin Lollar m. 3rd to Nancy Robinson, children:
Sallie, John, Mollie, Bama, Pearl, Newton, Frank Abner, and
Charles Lollar who married 1st Carrie Belle Courington m. 2nd
Thula Haygood no children of the second m. Mr. Lollar is a
well to do farmer near Providence.

Elizabeth Lollar dau. of John A. Lollar and Susan (Gillon) m.
1st Mr. _____ Phiffer, their dau., Mary Susan Phiffer m. Benjamin
F. Clements. They had several sons: Sylvester Houston b.
Sept. 12, 1874 m. Lavada Jones, dau. of W.R. Jones, Victor A.
Clements m. Cora Payne of Cordova, Ala., Joseph Homer Clements
m. Belle Hamilton of Jasper.

Middleton C. Clements m. Alice Manuel.

William Orlando Clements m. Mada Gabbart, Birmingham.

Elizabeth (Lollar) Phiffer m. 2nd John B. Sumner, dan. Vada
Sumner m. Dr. John Wesley Simpson, a well known physician in
this county.

(Record by Charles Lollar and Mrs. John Wesley Simpson).

Margaret Lollar dau. of John A. Lollar and Susan (Gillen) m.
Issac Brown b. March 15, 1846 near Oakman. In Feb. 1863, he
enlisted in Co. D. fourth Miss. Cavalry and served until the
close of the war. Isaac was the son of John Brown and Mary
Dutton. John Brown moved to Miss. prior to the Civil War and
died there. Children of Isaac and Margaret (Lollar) Brown:

*William Frank Brown.

Richard Lee Brown m. Belle Robinson.

Mary Susan Brown m. Frank Raburn.

Della Brown m. Wm. Byrd Day. their ch: Dr. Proctor Day m.

Mable _____ residing in Houston, Texas.

Isaac "Ike" Day.

Jaley Dan. m. _____ Dunn.

Bettie Brown single.

John Harvey Brown m. Mabel Crump.

Queen Brown m. 1st Robert Fuller, 2nd Rome Kingsley.

*William Franklin Brown b. Aug. 11, 1867 m. March 20, 1890
to Addis Walton and second Carry Reeves.

Children of 1st marriage:

*Garvon Boyd Brown b. 11-26-1891.

Walter Lee Brown b. Nov. 14, 1893.

James Claud Brown b. Dec. 3, 1894.

Willie Maud Brown b. Jan. 11, 1897.

Isaac Hollis Brown b. Feb. 1, 1899.

Marvin Chester Brown b. Oct. 18, 1901.

Della Mildred Brown b. Dec. 9, 1903.

Harvey Bryan Brown b. Dec. 12, 1907.

Minnie Lorene Brown b. Nov. 23, 1911.

*Garvon Boyd Brown m. Oct. 14, 1916 to Lillie Maude Crump b. April 5, 1896, Children:
Margaret Alvera Brown b. Aug. 26, 1917.
G.B. Bradford Brown b. Feb. 3, 1919.
Juanita Brown b. Feb. 3, 1921.
Addis Oletta Brown b. Feb. 12, 1923.
Radford Eugene Brown b. Feb. 14, 1925.
Charles Lindbergh Brown b. May 30, 1927.

*Garvon Boyd Brown m. Lillie M. Crump, Oct. 14, 1916.
Walter Lee Brown m. Savilla Sherer Dec. 7, 1919.
James Claude Brown m. Ada Davis April 23, 1916.
Willie Maude Brown m. Solomon Courington April 23, 1916.
Later married Dr. Frank Blanton date unknown.
Isaac Hollis Brown never married.
Marvin Chester Brown m. Florence Terry.
Della Mildred Brown m. Lester Wade.
Harvy Bryan Brown m. Lorene Dutton.
Minnie Lorene Brown m. Collis Ferguson.
(This record by Miss Margaret Brown).

Hugh Gaunt Lollar

Son of Hugh Lollar Sr. and wife _____ was b. 1817 in S.C. m. Nancy Bagwell Jan. 5, 1840 (by Hugh Lollar, J.P. Tuscaloosa Co.) Nancy Bagwell was b. 1825 in Ala. their ch:
*William Riley Lollar b. 1840 Tuscaloosa Co., Ala.
Mary C. Lollar b. 1842 Tuscaloosa Co., Ala.
Margaret F. Lollar b. 1844 in Tuscaloosa Co., Ala.
James M. Lollar b. 1846.
E.J. Lollar b. 1848.
Sarah B. Lollar b. 1850. (see later)
John Monroe Lollar b. 1855 m. Lula Stanley (see Stanley).
Love Wilson Lollar b. in 1861. (see later).

*William Riley Lollar son of Hugh Gaunt Lollar b. Nov. 2, 1840 served four years in the Civil War. He was m. three times.
1st to Miss _____ Cauley and they had one son James W. Lollar b. 2-12-1861. He m. Mallie Powell m. 2nd Peggy Ann Dunn, Children of second marriage:
Marion Sylvester Lollar b. 2-23-1867 m. Bettie Sumner.
Fortte Wayne Lollar b. Aug. 18, 1878 m. Maranda Miller. Married third to Felto Josephine Powell, Children:
John Wilson Lollar b. April 29, 1880 dsp.
Margaret L. Lollar b. 12-24-1881.
Samuel Arthur Lollar b. 6-17-1881 m. Hattie Whitson.
Ruth Ridaway Lollar b. 5-17, 1885 m. James Mood Pinion.
Their children:
Louise Pinion m. Theron Vick.
Shelton Pinion m. Helen Coalson.
Glenn Arthur Pinion single; he was a paratrooper in W.W. II.
Carrie Augusta Sprott Lollar b. 3-16-1888 m. Jesse Christian.
Their children:

Maepearl Christian m. Ensley Culpepper.
Festus Spurgeon Christian m. Winona Burkhalter.
Armon Burnett Christian m. Kathaleen Bolton.
Bernice Christina Christian m. T.P. Jones.
Samuel Cecil Christian m. Margie Christian.
Edith Willette Christian m. Glenn Reeves.

Virgil Monroe Lollar b. April 28, 1890 m. Mertie Griffin.

Alva Burnette Lollar b. June 25, 1892.

Lena A. Lollar b. July 27, 1895 m. Carl Davis, their ch:

Viola Davis m. Jack Davis living at Jasper, Ala.

Elois Davis m. Felix Liveoak.

Wm. A. Davis m. Bertha Mae Robinson.

James Edward Davis m. Peggy Huddleston.

Albert Davis _____.

Johnnie G. Davis m. Bonnie Lowe.

(This record by Mrs. James Mood Pinion, Berry, Ala.)

John Monroe Lollar b. 1855 d. 1949 (see Lula Stanley).

Abner Lollar m. Susan Baker. Their son, Capt. "Dick" Lollar, living in Birmingham, no further record.

Sarah B. Lollar b. 1850 (see John Wheeler Whitson, son of Thomas Jefferson Whitson).

Lovie Wilson Lollar son of Hugh Gaunt Lollar and Nancy (Bagwell) b. 1861 d. 2-17-1927. Was commissioner of Walker Co. and connected with Jasper Land Company m. to Miss Margaret Moore, b. May 30, 1875 d. June 11, 1911 both buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Jasper. Ch:

I. Minnie Moore Lollar b. 1896-1938. She made her debut at Mobile, one of Jasper's most beautiful girls admired by everyone m. Richard Adkin Cain b. 1882-1942. Mr. Cain a popular insurance agent, known for acts of kindness to others. It was never too late at night or weather too bad. He would often take people way out in the country to their homes and many other good deeds to his fellow man. Their children: Bettye Cain m. Fred D. Haston Jr. son of Dr. and Mrs. F.D. Haston of Jasper. Fred attended Walker County high school, went to Auburn, graduate from Atlanta Dental College, lives in Montgomery, Ala.

II. Richard Adkin Cain Jr. married Annette Worrell dau. of Mr. and Mrs. V.T. Worrell of Birmingham. Dick, as he is known by his friends is a prominent businessman, taking a leading part in civic and social affairs, owner of the Jasper Ice and Cold Storage Plant. James Oscar Cain was in the Airforce W.W. II., Edward Moore Cain.

III. Love Wilson Lollar Jr. m. Mary Alexander, dau. of Dr. J. F. Alexander and Mary (Lane). Xan Lollar m. _____ Rogers.

IV. Bernice Lollar m. to Mr. Robert Moore. They have four young daughters.

V. William H. Lollar

VI. John Hope Lollar

VII. Margaret Lollar m. Mr. Pervy Dodd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dodd of Nauvoo, Ala. Mr. Dodd is U.S. Marshal, headquarters in Birmingham, Alabama.

DAVID JAMES LOLLAR

Son of Hugh Lollar, Sr. and 2nd wife Catherine _____ known as Squire Jim Lollar was b. June 29, 1834 in Ala. died Nov. 17, 1909 at Meridian Miss. Buried in Shady Grove Cemetery, Webster Co., Miss. m. Amanda Easterwood b. Jan. 1, 1834 at Trenton, Tenn. d. March 29, 1926, Webster Co., buried Shady Grove Cemetery. Their children:

John Wesley Lollar

James W. Lollar went to Texas.

Matilda Lollar

Hugh David (Bud) Lollar b. 1859 m. Margaret Elizabeth _____?

Elias LaFayette Lollar Minister resides in Okla.

Amanda Roxie Chandler, Wm. Dan. Lollar, Charles Mayfield Lollar, Maggie Virginia Lollar.

John Wesley Lollar b. Aug. 15, 1853 in Webster Co., Miss. d. Oct. 21, 1929 was m. April 11, 1872 to Arilla Jane Gwinn b. Dec. 7, 1855 Spartanburg, S.C. d. Nov. 2, 1911. She was a dau. of John N. Gwinn b. Oct. 3, 1828, Spartanburg and d. Feb. 4, 1859, was m. to Margaret Ann Phillips, Nov. 30, 1847. She was b. April 14, 1831 in Spartanburg, S.C. d. May 7, 1894; other children of John N. Gwinn, Tom, Benjamin, Mary, Sarah (Salley) Gwinn.

John Bunyan Lollar, son of John Wesley Lollar and Arilla Jane (Gwinn) b. April 14, 1888 d. June 19, 1952. m. Nov. 21, 1920 to Vera Gertrude Weeks b. June 6, 1898. Their dau. Mae Evelyn Lollar b. Jan. 5, 1922 m. March 30, 1941 to Ivy Latham Henry b. Nov. 6, 1920. Their ch:

Patsy Lynn Henry b. Feb. 10, 1942.

Mae Donna Henry b. Jan. 11, 1947.

2. James Bedford (Sonny) Lollar b. May 9, 1927 m. May 22, 1948, Peggy Jean Hall b. June 3, 1930 Ch: Gerta Suzanne b. Feb. 25, 1950, Gerta Jeanette b. March 27, 1956.

3. John Weeks (Bully) Lollar b. Jan. 17, 1933 m. Feb. 13, 1954.

Frances Naomi Hawkins b. Jan. 2, 1932. Children:

Laura Lynn b. Nov. 7, 1954.

John Michael (Mike) b. June 29, 1956.

Lynda Lee b. Dec. 29, 1959.

(This record sent by Mrs. I. L. Henry gr. gr. granddaughter of Hugh Lollar Sr. and the gr. gr. gr. granddaughter of Jacob Lollar and Elizabeth Gantt.)

*William Lollar

Son of Jacob Lollar and Elizabeth Gantt was b. ca. 1788 in N.C. was dead before 1850 m. Elizabeth Jadidah Tribble b. 1790 in S.C. In 1850 she was a widow living near her son Wm. with Eliza 21 years and Martha age 19 years. (Probably her granddaughters.) The other two known children, William and Mary Chappell Lollar. William Lollar b. 1810 d. Aug. 17, 1875 age 65 yrs. on Tombstone m. Mary Kiker b. 1814 d. May 25, 1892 both buried on the homeplace near Jasper. Their children: Amos Lollar b. 1837.

Jadidah Lollar b. 1839 m. Thomas Houston, Wright son of Crawford and Elizabeth (Mahaffey) Wright of Ga. a son Thomas Lollar Wright was living in Beaumont, Texas Jan. 11, 1957.

James A. Lollar b. 1841 (see later).

John Lollar b. 1843.

Fama Lollar b. 1845 m. Samuel Burton, only son of Cader and Lavinia (Johnson) Burton.

Wade W.H. Lollar b. Feb. 14, 1849 d. June 4, 1929. He was married twice 1st to Armanda Sherer b. Jan. 18, 1855 and d. July 30, 1893. m. 2nd to Jeanette, sister of Armanda. Children of 1st marriage:

Henry Coleman Lollar m. Annie Lefan.

E. Clay Lollar m. Emma Lee Brown, dau. of Thomas Brown.

Claude H. Lollar m. Estell Kimbrell.

Joseph Lollar m. Jessie Tirey, dau. of Mr. A.J. Tirey.

James A. Lollar son of Wm. and Mary Kiker Lollar was b. in 1841 m. Martha Irwin July 13, 1865 dau. of Rev. Wm. Irwin and wife Susan Ann ____; they were married Dec. 6, 1842. Rev. Irwin died at age of thirty three while on his way to Texas.

Children of James A. Lollar:

1. Mary Susan Lollar was m. to John Henry Burton March 8, 1885. He was the son of Peter S. and Mary Elizabeth (Townley) Burton; she was a dau. of Richmond Townley and Mary Lollar, who were married in St. Clair Co., Ala. May 2, 1822, probably the dau. of Elisha Lollar, Sr.

2. Lavonia Lollar m. W.G. Carry Oct. 1, 1893.

3. Wm. Clinton Lollar m. Illa Roberts Dec. 22, 1895.

4. Florence Nabel Lollar m. G.W. Chandler, June 21, 1903.

5. Texanna Elizabeth Lollar m. Dr. D.F. DeWeese.

6. Earl Vandarn Lollar m. Leona Jackson May 1, 1910.

7. John Irwin Lollar m. Mary S. Miller Dec. 4, 1910.

(Marriage dates from the family Bible.)

Court Record.

William Lollar d. Aug. 17, 1875 Mary Lollar widow, ch:

James A. Lollar Admr. of William Lollar decd.

Annis Cooner wife of W.J. Cooner.

J.E. Wright wife of Thomas Wright.

John C. Lollar

Fanny "Fame" Burton wife of S.H. Burton.

W.W.H. Lollar

(This from final record A. P. 69 petition to substitute records, because of burning of the courthouse July 22, 1877).

Mary Chappell Lollar b. 1812 in N.C. d. 7-3-1897. She was the dau. of Wm. Lollar and Mary Jadidah Tribble m. John Boshell b. 1807 in S.C. d. 10-1-1895, both buried in the family plot on homeplace near Hillard, Ala. He was a son of Nicholas and Sarah Baker Boshell and the grandson of Nicholas and Catherine Boshell of Abbeville Dist., S.C. Nicholas Boshell, Jr. came to Walker Co. about 1835. Children of John and Mary Chappell Lollar Boshell.

Wm. Bennett Boshell

Marion Boshell

Annis Elizabeth Boshell m. Seaborn Jones Wright on April 8, 1858, son of Crawford Wright and Elizabeth Mahaffey of Ga.

Elizabeth Lollar b. Dec. 9, 1793 d. 1835 dau. of Jacob Lollar and wife Elizabeth dau. of Jm. Gantt. m. to Daniel Townley b. 1782 d. 1848. Both buried in the family plot west of Hillard, Ala. Daniel Townley entered government land in Section 7 Township 14 Range 8 on Jan. 18, 1822.

The town of Townley was named after this family.

Children, only have record of --

1. Wm. Townley b. Jan. 1, 1822 m. Mary Boshell.

2. Robert Townley b. Jan. 1, 1831 d. 1903 at Valley Mills, Texas m. Ann Gutarie, dau. of Rev. Johnson Guttery and Mary (Wilson).

Martha Lollar dau. of Jacob and Elizabeth (Gant) Lollar was b. Dec. 12, 1794 d. 1856 m. James Patman Cooner b. April 10, 1787 d. 1855. Their children:

1. Sarah Cooner b. Jan. 5, 1813 in S.C. m. Abner Dill.

2. John Cooner b. April 15, 1816 m. _____ and moved to Foutitoc Co., Miss. His son David Cooner was sheriff of Foutitoc Co.

3. Samuel Ellison Cooner (see later).

4. Elizabeth Cooner b. Nov. 23, 1834 m. Harrison Sides.

5. Martha Jane Cooner b. Nov. 5, 1827.

6. Mary Jane Cooner b. May 5, 1831 m. George F. Sides.

7. James Carroll Cooner b. Dec. 25, 1835 in Ala. served in the Civil War. Was Corp. in Co. G. 1st Ala. Cavalry. M. Mahaley Lawson b. April 24, 1833 d. Dec. 23, 1927.

8. *Samuel Ellison Cooner b. Oct. 12, 1819 in Abbeville Dist., S.C. came to Walker Co. with his parents James Patman Cooner and Martha (Lollar) when about 14 yrs. old. He served one term as sheriff of Walker Co. before the Civil War, and as Tax collector and county Treasurer. He died on Aug. 27, 1884 buried in Cooner Cemetery at Coal City, near Jasper. Mr. Cooner was m. three times first to Lucinda Dill b. June 20, 1821 d. Dec. 31, 1851 m. 2nd to Diana Burton b. Oct. 12, 1835 d. Oct. 12, 1876 and 3rd to Mary Ann Bennett b. Aug. 31, 1826 d. about 1885.

Children of 1st marriage:

Wm. James Cooner b. Feb. 25, 1841 m. Anice Lollar.

Martha Jane Cooner b. Feb. 14, 1847 m. Jacob Hamilton.

Elizabeth Cooner b. Dec. 6, 1851 m. Wm. T. Tubbs.

Children of 2nd marriage:

John Ellison Cooner b. 1835 m. Isabella Gdom.

Samuel Green Cooner b. Sept. 18, 1857 d. April 24, 1929. M.

Roxie Ann Randolph b. April 11, 1860 d. Jan. 28, 1933.

Wesley Cooner b. Aug. 19, 1859 d. June 13, 1881 at Paris, Texas, Francis Marion Cooner b. Oct. 27, 1862 m. Annie Pierce. (from family Bible).

ABSTRACTS OF OLD NINETY SIX AND ABBEVILLE DIST., S.C. WILLS AND BONDS BY Pauline Young. (See Gantt Record).

1. The first part of the paper discusses the importance of the study of the history of the United States. It is argued that a knowledge of the past is essential for a full understanding of the present and for the development of a sound policy for the future. The author points out that the study of history is not merely a collection of facts and dates, but a process of critical thinking and analysis. It is through the study of history that we can learn from the mistakes of the past and avoid them in the future.

2. The second part of the paper discusses the role of the government in the development of the United States. It is argued that the government has played a crucial role in the development of the country, from the early years of settlement to the present day. The author points out that the government has been responsible for the establishment of the legal system, the creation of the infrastructure, and the promotion of economic growth. It is through the actions of the government that the United States has become the great power that it is today.

3. The third part of the paper discusses the role of the individual in the development of the United States. It is argued that the actions of individuals have played a crucial role in the development of the country, from the early years of settlement to the present day. The author points out that the actions of individuals have shaped the culture, the values, and the institutions of the United States. It is through the actions of individuals that the United States has become the great power that it is today.

4. The fourth part of the paper discusses the role of the future in the development of the United States. It is argued that the future is a time of great opportunity and challenge. The author points out that the future will be shaped by the actions of the government, the actions of individuals, and the actions of the world as a whole. It is through the actions of all of these groups that the future of the United States will be determined.

Son of Nicholas and Catherine Bushell of Abbeville, S.C. was b. Oct. 27, 1786 d. Dec. 22, 1862 m. Sarah Baker b. Jan. 6, 1788 d. Sept. 23, 1858. Both buried in Romine Cemetery West of Macedonia Church near Lost Creek.

Their children:

1. John Boshell m. Mary Chappell, dau. of Wm. Lollar and Mary Jadidah (Tribble) Lollar. (see later)
2. McFinter Boshell b. April 22, 1811 S.C. m. Mariah Baker.
3. Andrew Jackson Boshell b. Dec. 25, 1825 m. Catherine Guttery, dau. of Rev. Robert and Sarah Ann (Williams) Guttery.
4. Peter M. Boshell b. 1812.
5. W.R. Boshell b. Dec. 2, 1823 d. Dec. 29, 1860.
6. Charlotte Boshell b. Sept. 30, 1831 d. April 9, 1901, buried at Pleasant Grove. M. Capt. Freeman Johnson. He died in the Civil War, buried in Atlanta, Georgia.

John Boshell b. 1807 Abbeville, S.C. d. Oct. 7, 1895 m. Mary Chappell Lollar b. 1812 in N.C. d. July 3, 1897 buried in family plot on the homeplace, west of Romine Cemetery. Mary Chappell Lollar was the dau. of Wm. Lollar son of Jacob Lollar and wife Elizabeth Gantt, dau. of Wm. Gantt of N.C., S.C. and Elizabeth Jadidah (Tribble) Lollar b. in 1790 in S.C. Their children:

1. James Bennett Boshell served in the Civil War m. Sarah Sparks widow of his cousin Alvin Boshell. Ch: Annie Boshell m. Robert Romine, had several children, only names of two known: Paul and Titus.
2. Mary Boshell b. 1874 d. 1931 m. Samuel B. Day, no issue.
3. Sallie Boshell b. 1879 d. 1905 dsp.
4. John Samuel Boshell m. Ellen Cooner, had one child, a son, Blaine, lives in Wash., D.C.
5. Barna Boshell b. 1882 d. 1907 m. Irving W. Goss.
6. James Boshell m. _____ Kitchens.

II. Marion Boshell m. Elizabeth Knight, ch: John, Alice, Malley, Texanna, and Mary Boshell m. Lr. Myers; they had children. Louis Myers only name known.

III. Arnis Elizabeth Boshell b. June 19, 1839 d. May 8, 1924. M. Seaborn Jones Wright April 18, 1858; he was the son of Crawford Wright and Elizabeth Mahaffey of Ga. He was b. in Paulding Co., Ga. Sept. 7, 1839 d. May 7, 1912. Seaborn Jones Wright served in the Civil War. Their children: Alfred M., Mary, Sarah Elizabeth, Roxanna, Martha Lucinda, Douglas, Lucius B. and Margaret Wright.

Alfred M. Wright b. Jan. 30, 1859 d. July 11, 1915 m. 1st Susan Burton, dau. of Cader and Lavinia Burton; she was b. Mar. 11, 1862 d. Feb. 24, 1884 m. 2nd Susan's sister, Hasseltine b. 1865 d. _____; Children:

Seaborn J. Wright m. Virginia Harris.
 Alma Wright m. Griffin Duncan.
 Martha Wright m. Dorris Thomas, son of W.M. and Paralee (Canon) Thomas who were m. Oct. 15, 1878 at res. of Russell Guttery.
 Acie Thomas, son of Dorris Thomas and Martha (Wright)m. Agnes Burton dau. of Caleb and Ada Baker Burton.
 Pearl Wright m. Lynn Cunningham.
 Luther Wright m. Bessie Steadran.
 Monroe Wright m. Ethel Hill.
 Gladys Wright m. Adolphus Cain.
 Minta and Bradford Wright (dsp.).
 Mary Wright m. Samuel Lockhart had two children: Minnie and Jesse Lockhart, both single.

Hoxanna Wright m. Robert Thomas had a dau. Ida Thomas m. _____. She died several yrs. ago in Alberta, Canada.

Sarah Elizabeth Wright m. John Francis Baker, son of Sgt. Richard Baker and wife Dicy (Burton) dau. of John Burton.

Martha Lucinda Wright m. Mr. F. Knight.

Douglas Wright m. Linda Lockhart, ch: Marcus m. Julia Watkins, Eucl m. Florence Raggett, Whit (dsp.), Myrtle m. Bartley Brown, "Brill" m. Joe Coener, "Tac" m. Mr. Patton, Raish and Thomas.

Lucius B. Wright m. Virginia Dean Baker, dau. of Sgt. Richard Baker and wife Dicy Baker. Ch:

Lyman m. Gladys Swindle.

Katie m. Luther Townley.

Dewey m. Flora Belle Wright.

Cleo Wright m. Richard Sparks Dec. 17, 1924, ch: H.C. Sparks m. Jenny Norris.

Mary E. Sparks m. Howard Redmill.

J.T. Sparks m. Mildred Pharr.

Glenn Sparks b. July 21, 1938, single.

Margaret Wright b. May 28, 1877 d. 9-12-1905 m. James M. Rutledge, a descendant of one of Walker County's pioneer families. Dau.

I. Lacey Rutledge m. Claude Stephenson, druggist, son of Dr.

Hugh Watson Stephenson and Sallie (Masterson). Ch: Hugh Watson Stephenson, graduate of Birmingham Southern College in Pharmacy, and James Stephenson, graduate of Tulane Medical School.

II. Luther Rutledge m. Mrs. Ila Thomas.

III. Grady Rutledge m. Clara Carter.

CENSUS

1800 Census Abbeville Co., S.C. Role 47 (m-32)

Joseph Burton Males 1-26, 1-45 & up
Female 1-45 & up

John Burton Males 3 to 10, 1-16, 1-26, 1-45
(son of Joseph) Females 2 to 10, 1-16, 1-26

Josiah Burton not shown census incomplete.

1810 Census Abbeville Co., S.C. Role 60 film 252, P. 30

Joseph Burton Males 1-16 to 26, 1-45 & up
Female 1-16 to 26

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Josiah Burton Males 4 to 10, 2 to 16, 1-45 & up
(son of Joseph) Female 1 to 10, 1 to 16, 1-26 to 45

P. 431

Wm. Burton Males 1 to 10, 1 to 16, 1 to 26, 1-45 & up
(Son of Joseph) Females 1 to 10, 2 to 16, 1-26 to 45

James Pratt Males 1 to 10, 1 to 26
Females 1 to 10, 1 to 26, 1-45 & up

Joseph Pratt Males 1 to 10, 2 to 16, 1 to 26
Females 2 to 10, 1 to 16, 1 to 26, 1 to 45

1800 Census Abbeville Co., S.C. Micro film Role 47

Wm. Gantt 1 Male 45 & up
1 Female 45 & up

Kedar Gantt 1 Male 26-45
1 Female 26-45

Brittian Gantt 3 Males-10, 1-26-45
Female 1-10, 1-26-45

Fredrick Gantt 1 Male 26-45
2 Females-10 1-26-45

Lewis Gantt 1 Male 26-45
1 Female 26-45

Tyra Gantt 1 Male-10, 1-26-45
1 Female 26-45

1790 Census Pendleton Dist., S.C.

Jacob Lollar 1 Male over 16, 3 under 16
1 Female no age

1890 Census Abbeville Co., S.C.

Jacob Lollar 2 Males-16, 1-16-26, 1-45 & up
 Females 4-10, 1-26-45

WILLS AND ESTATE RECORDS

The following records can be obtained from the Ordinary, Abbeville, S.C. The Burtons here are descendants of Joseph Burton, who died 1811 in Abbeville.

Burton, Elizabeth, 1818

Caleb, Jno., Jnc. Burten Jr. bound to Moses Taggart, ord \$1000.00. Caleb Burton made gdn of Elizabeth Burton, minor.

Burton, John, 1823

Est. adm. by Beverly Burten, John Hearst, Jr. James Carson bound to Moses Taggart, ord sum \$4000.00, Sale March 27, 1823, Buyers: Mary, Beverly, Allen, Mrs. Mary Burton, Thomas Harris, John Briskey, John Hearst.

Burton, John, 1836

Will, wife, Caroline C., children: James, John A., Wm. Margaret Foreman, Mary Thacker, Mariah Chandler, gr. dtr. Mary Hodges, Inv. made Aug. 24, 1836 by John Gray, James Moore, Donald Douglas.

Burton, James, 1843

Est. adm. Jan. 13, 1843 by John E. Ellis, Abram, Zackariah, Hadden bound unto David Lesly, ord \$24,000.00. Left a widow and 5 or 6 children. On Feb. 14, 1848, John E. Ellis, Zackariah Hadden, John Pratt bound unto David Lesly \$650.00. John Ellis made gdn for Timothy Marion, Joseph Burton under 14 yrs. settlement made Jan. 24, 1850 Went Margaret Burton, Sarah wife of Jas. E. Gray, Delia Burton, wid. Mary was a minor child (in same package, the pet. David Russell Shewett that Josiah Burton died in the late Mexican War.

Burton, Polly Ann, 1851

On Feb. 3, 1851 David Russell Ezekiel Tribble, J.W. Black bound unto F.W. Sellick ord, Sum \$50.00. David Russell made gdn, of Polly Ann, Sophia Burten, shewett that her dtr. Polly Ann is a minor and that she is entitled to an interest in a land warrant granted to her father Josiah Burton, Jr. by the U.S. Gov't.

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Burton, Caleb, 1860

Est. adm. by Peter S. John L. Burton Hugh Robinson, Michael Magle bound to Ch. Hill ord. sum \$35,000.00. Settl made Dec. 13, 1861 Distributees: Robt. Burton, Robt. L. Tucker and wife Mary Peter S. Jr. Wm. L. Burton W.P. Magle and wife Dicey, Wm. Crowtley and wife Amy, Jas. M. Hopkins and wife Elizabeth, J.S. Burton, Jas. M. Hopkins and wife were of Anderson Dist., S.C. Wm. P. Magle and wife Dicey of Tishomingo Co., Miss.

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Joseph 1826

John 1828

Wm. 1797

James 1828

Sarah 1804

Sarah A. 1843

Elizabeth O. 1843

Wm. 1842

John Jr. 1849

Minors 1851 (and others)

Gantt

Dr. Benjamin 1803

Frederick 1814

Elizabeth Y. 1856

Wm. 1809

Cador 1848 (and others)

(Records listed are in the Probate Files Abbeville, S.C.)

LITTLE RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH

Sept. 18, 1830.

Received Elizabeth Burton by letter.

Oct. 16, 1830.

The church of Little River met according to adjournment and after prayer proceeded to business 1st opened a door for the reception of members 2nd took up several chrgs. against Brother Robert Burton charge 1st. for breaking up a piece of ground unknown to the owner. charge 2nd for seeking a warrant against Bro. Cador Gantt, negro boy for stealing corn without letting Bro. Gantt know it.

Sept. 15, 1827.

The church met after sermon and prayer proceeded to business. (Overlook this item, P.Y.)

Aug. 20, 1831.

The church met and after sermon and prayer proceeded to business 1st opened a door for the reception of members 2nd took up the report against Bro. Robert Burton and after hearing his defence and his witness which he produced the church acquitted him of his report.

Jan. 14, 1832.

The church met, dismissed Sister Elizabeth Burton by letter and the church adjourned.

Sept. 15, 1832.

Dismissed Sarah Burton by letter and the church adjd. until next meeting.

Feb. 15, 1834.

The church agreed to try to purchase frer Mr. Caleb Burton one or more acres of land joining the Little River Meeting house land, and has appointed Brethern C. Gantt, and L. W. Tribble to see said Burton if he will sell land.

PRATT DATA TAKEN FROM MINUTES OF OLD LITTLE RIVER CHURCH NEAR LEVEL LAND, ABBEVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA.

June 20, 1829.

The church at Little River met according to adjd. and after sermon and prayer proceeded to business 1st opened door for reception of members 2nd appointed our next meeting for communion and also appointed the clerk to prepare a letter received by experience.

June 19, 1830. (Sarah Pratt)

The church met and after sermon and prayer proceeded to business 1st, opened door for reception of members received by experience Rosanna Kay, Lemuel J. Tribble, Ursley McClane, John Kay, Wm. Pratt, Elizabeth Pratt, Ephraim McClane & Saml. Young.

Aug. 14, 1830.

The church at Little River met according to adjd. and after sermon and prayer proceeded to business 1st, opened door for reception of members. Received Experience Martha Shock, Martha Pratt, Thurza Rickey, John Shirley, Asinith Shirley, James Cullins and Wilson Ashley and the church adjourned.

On Sun. morning the 15 inst. the church received, experience David Pratt came forward and was received openly. Also received information of death of Sister Priscilla Vandiver.

Nov. 18, 1831.

The church at Little River met and after prayer proceeded to business opened door for reception of members and five came forward and was received viz. Edward Hughs, James Hawkins, John Pratt, Margaret Ashley and a man of Colour named Fielding, the property of John L. Ellis and the church adjd. until next meeting.

Dec. 17, 1831.

The church met and after prayer proceeded to business 1st opened door for reception of members, received Hezekiah Elgin and James Murdock also received Mary Pratt by letter.

Dec. 19, 1835.

The church met and after exeration and prayer proceeded to business 1st opened door for reception of members, none made application for admittance 2nd took up question whether this church is willing to become member of the State Convention, the question referred for consideration. 3rd the church appointed Bro. Wm. Pratt, Sr. Clerk to fill the vacancy occasioned by resignation of Bro. Carville.

Aug. 19, 1837.

The church met and after prayer and sermon proceeded to bus. opened door for reception of Robert N. Ellis, 2nd appointed brethren Given, Young, John Pratt, Sr., Crawford, and Wm. Pratt, Sr. to examine a pamphlet presented to us today and report whether they deem it necessary to read the same in pulpit.

April 20, 1839.

The church met and after prayer and sermon by Broth. Burton and Fantt, proceeded to bus. 3rd Gave sister Mary Culp and Bro. David Pratt letters of dismission adjd.

June 20, 1840.

Appd. bro. Jno. Pratt Jr. assistant Clerk to bro. R. Tribble in music, adj.

Sept. 13, 1840.

The Congregation met and bro. Hiram LeCroy according to previous appointment preached and afterwards the church agreed to protast the meeting. Monday 14, met according to adj. and after prayer opened door for reception of Elizabeth A. Pratt.

Oct. 10, 1840.

Received by experience Sampson L., a coloured man belonging to the estate of Sarah Pratt.

On the fourth Friday in Jan. 1846 in Dist. Temperance Soc. held a quarterly meeting at Little River Church. A. J. Jones delivered Temperance lectures after which the Pledge of the society at this place was read and offered and the name of two ladies was given as members: Mrs. Louisa Pratt and Nancy Gray.

Monday 6, July 1846 the Anniversary meeting of the Little River Abstinence Society took place this day at the church, after prayer by the president the reed. A. Williams, proceeded to bus. moved and second that we appoint officers for the coming year and that the following persons constitute them, which was adopted. The Rev. James Kay Pres. Thomas Crawford V.I. John Pratt, S. Sec. That L.W. Tribble John Pratt, Robert Pratt, Wm. Pratt and John Clinkscales Sr. be and on a committee the next 12 months, appointed Thomas Crawford, John Pratt Sr. R.M. Kay and J.R. Wilson as delegates to attend the meeting of the District Temperance Society at Abbeville, C.H. on Wednesday next and that the Society make out a report for our Society and send up appointed the President Rev. James Kay and John Pratt Sr. delegates to the State Temperance Convention which is to be at Aiken on Wed. 15, inst.

FROM ARCHIVES COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

We have compiled abstracts of the Confederate service of soldiers whose surname begins with B. and C. for Burtons, listed in your letter Oct. 29, 1957, we do not find a Caleb or a Douglas. We do have a record for the following: Josiah F.S., Robert, W.F., W.J. N., and W.L. Burton. We are enclosing the signed abstracts of the service of these men.

Sincerely yours,
F.M. Hutson, Assistant to
Director.

Robert Burton age 68, Edgefield Dist. (B. 1794) Private K. Co. 19 reg. enlisted Jan. 26, 1862 at Camp Wappo, S.C. under Capt. L. Jones on roll June 30, 1862 as AWOL, on no later roll. F.M. Hutson.

W.J.N. Burton Private 1st Co. 4th reg. S.C. Inf-enlisted June 2, 1861 at Pendleton, S.C. Under Capt. W.W. Hollingsworth, Prisoner of War July 21, 1861 at Manassass. F. M. Hutson.

*F.S. Burton, Abbeville Dist. 4 Corporal Co. G. 6 reg. S.C. Cavalry, enlisted June 20, 1862 at Columbia, S.C. under Capt. J.A. Mist, on roll Feb. 28, 1863 as 3 Corporal on roll June 30, 1863 as 2 Corporal, on roll Aug. 31, 1864 as private on last roll call Oct. 3, 1864 as present. F. M. Hutson.

*Josiah Burton Private Co. B. 4 Batt., S.C. Reserves, enlisted April 14, 1864 at Abbeville, S.C. under Capt. T.W. Coleman, on last roll Oct. 31, 1864 as present. F.M. Hutson.

*W.L. Burton, Abbeville, S.C. Co. G. 1st reg. enlisted Jan. 8, 1862 at Abbeville under Capt. L. J. Johnson on last roll call Oct. 31, 1864 as present.

W.F. Burton Co. H. 7 Batt., S.C. Inf. enlisted June 30, 1862 at Abbeville, S.C. on roll call Oct. 31, 1862 as transferred to Naval service. F.M. Hutson.

BURTON RECORDS TAKEN FROM, MINUTES OF OLD LITTLE RIVER CHURCH
ABBEVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA.

July 18, 1814

Wm; Burton excluded from the Fellowship of this Church for the sin of defrauding others. Sister Burton is dismissed from this church.

Jan. 20, 1821.

The church met at Little River and after prayer proceeded to business agreed to send a letter to Stones River Church in answer to one we received and send a bill of charge to Wm. Burton adjourned.

May 16, 1829.

The Church at Little River met according to adjournment and after sermon and prayer proceeded to business 1st opened a door for the reception of members. Recd. by letter, Robert and Sarah Burton.

TOMBSTONE INSCRIPTIONS
OF OLD LITTLE RIVER CHURCH, FOUNDED 1791, ABBEVILLE CO., S.C.

"Polly" wife of Joshua Ashley b. Sept. 29, 1810 d. Oct. 10, 1888.
(she was Mary dau. of Josiah Burton and Mary "Molly" Pratt)

Lela R. Burton b. 1898 d. 19__.

James Roy Burton b. 1920 d. 1935.

J. Floyd Burton b. 1888 d. 1947.

Allie Bonner Burton, child of J.F. and S.E. Burton b. April
10, 1907 d. Sept. 15, 1912.

Frank Lee Burton b. April 17, 1896 d. Oct. 2, 1896. (same parents)

J. Fields Burton b. 1862 d. 1942.

Carrie Lee Burton (wife of J.F. Burton) b. Feb. 1, 1867 d. June
25, 1896.

Elna Burton b. May 4, 1885 d. May 4 1926.

Sarah Hall wife of Winston Hall d. Aug. 30, 1836. Age 50 years
(she was Sarah Burton second child of Josiah Burton and wife
Mary "Molly" Pratt).

Cadar Gantt b. April 15, 1771 N.C.? d. Dec. 2, 1848. (Pastor
of Little River Church and son of Wm. Gantt).

Sarah Gantt wife of Cadar Gantt d. May 22, 1858 age 102 years.
(She was the dau. of Wm. Pratt and 1st wife Elna Haze).

Mary Kay Pratt, wife of John Pratt, Sr. b. Nov. 30, 1809 d.
Jan. 12, 1892.

John Pratt, Sr. b. Jan. 12, 1808 d. Nov. 18, 1888.

John Calvin Pratt, son of John & Mary Pratt d. Sept. 13, 1850,
age 8 yrs. 1 mo. 3 days.

Laura Amelia Pratt, dau. of John & Mary Pratt. Age 7 mo. 17
days - no other date.

William Pratt d. Nov. 9, 1842 age 31 years.

Matilda Ann Pratt, d. March 10, 1853 age 16 yrs.

William Pratt b. Sept. 27, 1798 d. Jan. 29, 1864. (Probably
the son of Joseph Pratt and grandson of William Pratt, Sr. who
died 1797 Abbeville, S.C.)

Martha Pratt b. July 31, 1893 d. Dec. 7, 1987.

Margaret Rebecca Pratt, wife of A.M. Pratt (2) b. May 6, 1851
d. Feb. 28, 1915.

Robert M. Pratt b. March 10, 1847 d. Dec. 23, 1913.

William Walter Pratt b. May 13, 1872 d. July 24, 1901.

Mrs. Jessie Barker Pratt d. March 13, 1943, age 75 yrs. 5 mo.
24 days.

F.C. Pratt b. June 30, 1872 d. Feb. 21, 1915

In this cemetery perhaps many other of our relatives rest.
Names not known. The older Burtons and William Pratt, who
married Emma Hago (1) and Mary Brennan (2) buried elsewhere
probably in family plots and times having eroded all trace
of their resting places.

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